Thoughts For Today
It is only the fear of God that can deliver us from the fear of man.—Witherspoon.

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Peace Plea Is Made By President

Calls On Unions To End Rivalry In Appeal

(By Harold Oliver)

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 25—(AP)—President Roosevelt in a dramatic plea for a "united labor movement" asked the long struggling CIO and A.F. of L. camps today to name a committee to negotiate an early peace.

In virtually identical letters to John L. Lewis, chairman of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, and William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, he declared: "Labor faces a challenge in finding itself divided into opposing camps, but I am sure that labor can and will meet this challenge with understanding and good will."

The letters were made public at temporary White House offices here while the president spent his seventh day at sea on the Cruiser Houston in the vicinity of the annual fleet maneuvers.

Their timing was regarded in official circles as especially significant in view of Commerce Secretary Harry L. Hopkins' Iowa speech last night in which the former WPA administrator outlined a program for industrial recovery which included a call upon labor to show "tolerance and fairness" in dealing with employers.

Some observers saw in the presidential appeal an attempt to bring about a union of the labor forces—at odds for more than three years over the CIO-sponsored industrial union and the craft movement of the A. F. of L.—well ahead of the presidential campaigns in 1940.

The president told Lewis and Green the opportunities for a "united and vital labor movement to make a contribution to American life of help to the present and future generations were never better."

He said the American people sincerely hoped a "constructive negotiated peace" could be achieved "within the early months of

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Predicts Guam Item Be Back

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25—(AP)—A prediction the Senate would reverse the House's action and authorize $5,000,000 in naval improvements at the island of Gaum came from Senator Lewis (D-Ill.) today as the Senate Military committee gave its approval to the $358,000,000 army and air corps expansion bill.

Lewis, veteran member of both the Foreign Relations and Military committees, said if he judged the temper of the Senate correctly, "it will put back the Guam item and announce that is our property and we are merely fencing it."

Senator Lee (D-Okla.), another member of the military committee, said he thought the House vote against the Guam improvements had had "a bad psychological effect" in the orient and the item should be put back in the naval base bill.

He indicated, however, he believed President Roosevelt might have to exert his personal influence to accomplish this.

Senator Norris (Ind.-Neb.) who has been extremely critical of Japan's course in China, said he was inclined to support the House action. Senator Clark (D-Mo.) said he would oppose restoration of the Guam item and predicted the Senate would reject any attempt of that nature by a substantial majority.

"Any move to fortify Guam is closely equivalent to a declaration of war," Clark declared.

Officers Elected By Press Group

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25.—(AP)—E. H. Shepherd, Eldon, was elected president of the Central Missouri Press Association last night at the closing session of the annual mid-winter meeting. He succeeds James D. Idol, Harrisonville.

Other new officers are: Norman B. Gallagher of Belle, vice-president; James C. Kirkpatrich, Warrensburg, secretary; and G. T. Richards of Camdenton and Idol, directors.

The organization also passed a resolution opposing "further taxation and further encroachment on private enterprise."

Speakers included H. Roe Bartle, Kansas City Boy Scout executive; Donald Jones, professor of advertising at the University of Missouri; and Harry Griffith, safety engineer of the State Highway Department.

Marriage Licenses Issued

W. V. Paxton, Marshall and Josephine Houchen, Houstonia.

M. P. Wright

Elected head of Young Democratic Clubs of Missouri in convention at Joplin.

New Drive To Free Germany Of The Jews

Scheduled To Begin Monday From Berlin

By Louis P. Lochner

BERLIN, Feb. 25—(AP)—A new, intensive drive to make Germany free of Jews will begin Monday.

The Jewish community in Berlin received orders from the police to produce daily the names of 100 Jews who will be given two weeks' notice to leave the country.

As far as could be learned Berlin is the first district in which a daily quota of emigrants is fixed arbitrarily. Depending upon its success, it may be assumed the system will be applied throughout the nation.

The police notice threw consternation into the ranks of the Jews.

They had believed the efforts of George Rublee as director of the Intergovernmental Refugee Committee to bring about systematic and orderly elimination over an extended period would be crowned with success.

Expected Ample Time

After Rublee's departure from Berlin, the belief was general in Jewish circles Germany would give every Jew ample time to settle his affairs on the assurance of the refugee committee a berth would be found for him somehow and somewhere abroad.

But the new order upsets this

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Fire Damages Joplin Hotel

JOPLIN, Mo., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Fire broke out on the fourth floor of the nine-story Connor Hotel at 8 p. m. tonight while it was jammed with 750 persons here for the state convention of Young Democratic Clubs of Missouri.

Flames swept through three and damaged a fourth room of the east wing before firemen, using two lines of hose and an aerial ladder, brought it under control, aided by hotel fireproof construction.

Lights went out and the hotel elevators failed, but luckily a majority of the guests were downstairs at dinner, the convention having adjourned an hour before the blaze broke out, and there was no panic.

The blaze originated in a suite which had been occupied by Dwight H. Brown, secretary of state; Joe Ward, his secretary, and J. I. Duke, also of Jefferson City. Hotel records showed they checked out at 6 p. m.

Fire Chief John B. Jones and Guy A. Laws, hotel manager, said they were unable to determine the cause but that the blaze appeared to have originated in a bed.

Laws estimated damage to the rooms at upwards of $2,000 and said damage by smoke to upper floor decorations and rooms would amount to other thousands of dollars.

The Connor is one of the most famed hostelries in the southwest.

Former Head of State Dental Association Dies

CARTHAGE, Mo., Feb. 25.—Dr. F. S. Webster, 74, former president of the Missouri Dental Association and a dentist here for 40 years, died today. Burial will be Monday at Clinton, Mo.

Condition of Norma Shearer Not Alarming

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 25—(AP)—A statement saying Norma Shearer "is very ill" but her condition is not alarming, was issued by her physician, Dr. Joel Pressman, today.

Favor Clark For Nominee For President

Young Democrats New Head Is Marvin Wright

JOPLIN, Mo., Feb. 25—(AP)—Amid cries of "packed" and "fixed" a resolution indorsing Senator Bennett C. Clark for the nomination for president was declared adopted at a night meeting tonight of the Young Democratic clubs of Missouri.

In late afternoon, the same resolution was tabled when bedlam followed its introduction at a general meeting attended by several hundred delegates. Tonight's meeting was attended by about 60.

J. Howard Hannah, Springfield, convention chairman, gaveled through the resolution and banged the convention to a close at tonight's session, which lasted but two minutes. Shouts of "discussion" and "no" marked his action.

"As adopted, the resolution recommended Senator Clark for "serious consideration" for the presidential nomination, it being explained by convention officers that the by laws do not permit flat indorsements of candidates preceding primaries or nominating conventions."

Officers were unprepared for the storm that met the resolution on first reading, although it was known there was considerable opposition to Clark at the convention.

Earlier in the meeting the reading of a telegram from Sen. Harry S. Truman of Kansas City had been met with wild applause.

Forrest Smith, state auditor, referring to the demonstration indirectly later in the session, warned the group Missouri had been offered its first opportunity in years to have a presidential candidate, adding "I don't

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Thieves Trucked Fat Hogs Away

While Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Long, of eight miles northeast of Warrensburg, attended a neighborhood party Friday night, stock thieves loaded thirty-seven fat hogs on their farm into a truck and drove off with them.

The theft was discovered on their return home and was immediately reported to officers. Mr. Long is a brother of Dr. F. B. Long, of this city.

Mooney Doing Nicely After An Operation

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25—(AP)—Dr. Leo Eloesser, San Francisco surgeon, said Thomas J. Mooney was "all right at present" after an operation of nearly two hours' duration today to correct a gall bladder ailment.

The surgeon commented Mooney had a "difficult gall bladder."

Mooney, pardoned January 7 by Governor Culbert L. Olson and released from 22 years' imprisonment in the 1916 San Francisco Preparedness Day bombing, became ill in Los Angeles three weeks ago and cancelled a speaking tour.

Road Overseers Named By Court

The county court Saturday appointed the following road overseers for a period of one year:

Road district No. 1, T. E. Marlin.

Road district No. 2, Fritz Vogt.

Road district No. 3, Harry Elliott.

Road district No. 4, Joe Reusch.

Road district No. 22, Francis P. Seifner.

Road district No. 31, W. E. Cooper.

Road district No. 41, N. C. Barrow.

Road district No. 42, Wm. Meyer.

Road district No. 43, J. F. Hintz.

Mrs. Emma Carman Is Killed By Auto

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25—(AP)—Mrs. Emma Carman, 70, was fatally injured tonight by an auto which struck her at a downtown intersection. She died 40 minutes later at a hospital. Police were questioning the driver.

But a Slim Clue As To Slayer

Student Found To Have Been Fatally Beaten

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25—(AP)—On the slimmest of clues—a comb, a card, a glove and a crude club, all blood-stained, police attempted today to find the murderer of a 32-year-old Russian theatrical student.

The victim of the brutal clubbing and criminal attack last night on the Los Angeles City college campus was stately, attractive, blonde, Anya Sosoyeva.

Miss Sosoyeva, a featured dancer with the Ziegfeld "Follies" one season, came here three months ago from San Francisco, ambitious to enter the movies or radio. She once danced with a Fanchon & Marco unit and recently had danced in New York and Chicago night clubs.

She was on the way from her apartment, across the street from the college, to the college auditorium to appear in a revue in which she and other aspirants hoped to attract the attention of talent scouts.

Police obtained a lead late today from the landlady of Miss Sosoyeva's apartment house. Mrs. Esther Cahoon said a man of foreign appearance called on the girl last night and that they went out together about 7:45. The man returned alone 45 min-

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Two Suits Settled

Two damage suits pending in the circuit court against the Missouri, Kansas, Texas Railroad company, one filed by Archie Decker, the other by Andrew M. Decker, were settled out of court and dismissed.

Night Meeting For Rotary And Rotaryanns

Rotarians and Rotaryanns will meet at 6:30 o'clock Monday night with Warrensburg Rotarians and Rotaryanns in an intercity meeting, at Hotel Bothwell, the guest speaker to be Rotary Governor Paul Bolte, of Slater.

More Snow For Part Of State

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25—(AP)—Rising temperatures melted some of the snow left by a 24-hour fall over most of Missouri, but more was falling in the southern and eastern parts of the state.

Weekend highway travel was cut to a minimum by dangerously slick roads covered with ice or slush.

At Springfield, where five inches fell during the day, observers estimated 8 to 10 inches would be on the ground by morning if the present fall continued. The low temperature there was 23 degrees.

The average over the state was about five inches. In Kansas City and St. Joseph, where warmer temperatures prevailed, there were clear skies and only a trace of snow, which melted.

The snow, heaviest of the year here, cost the city an estimated $6,000 for scrapers, sand and extra labor in clearing streets.

It helped a little, however, as police reported a burglary suspect was trailed by footprints in the snow and caught.

Champion Pie Baker Is Home

Ruby Hudson Thrilled Over Trip To Capital

Ruby Hudson, 16 year old Smithton girl—she was sixteen Friday, February 24, returned to her home late Saturday evening from Chicago where she won the highest award in the national cherry pie baking contest.

Happy, her voice quivering with excitement, but her manner calm and composed, the young girl expressed her pleasure, not only at winning the championship, but for the trip to Chicago, Washington, D. C. and the attention she received.

"I had no idea of winning the first prize," she said, "I thought it would be fine just to have a trip to Chicago. When they called the contestants, eight in number, into one of the rooms at the Morrison hotel and told me I was the winner, well, I just didn't know what to say."

She told of the eight girls, representing the states of Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Indiana, Minnesota, Michigan and Missouri, competing in the cherry pie baking contest in the bungalow of the Morrison hotel. Each girl was given a table, utensils and ingredients. They started at 9 o'clock in the morning and were given until noon to finish. "I just did my best," said Ruby, "but I never dreamed it would be judged the best of all."

Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hudson, is a Smithton 4-H club girl and was the youngest entrant in the national contest. Some of the girls competing had been getting ready for

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Sneak Thief Robs Till At A Tire Store

A sneak theif Saturday evening walked into the Goodyear Tire Store, at 509 South Ohio avenue, and vanished with money said to amount to about $25. The robbery was committed while a clerk was waiting on a customer.

Hines Guilty In New York Policy Racket

Convicted On All Counts In Indictment

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—James J. Hines, for 26 years a respected power in the ancient councils of Tammany Hall, was convicted tonight of policy racketeering charges that may send him to prison for a year longer than 26.

The ruddy, heavily-built ex-blacksmith, the first major New York democratic politician in years to be tried on criminal charges, was hailed in court for the first time in his 62 years by 36-year-old District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey, Republican nemesis of Tammany at the polls and racketeers in court.

Then, tonight, at the end of a second trial which had lasted 27 days, a blue ribbon jury in general sessions court sweepingly convicted Hines on all 13 counts of an indictment charging him with partnership in Dutch Schultz's $20,000,000-a-year gambling syndicate.

With characteristic mercilessness, Dewey had accused the grizzled Tammany veteran, a popular fellow known to thousands in New York City, of selling to the racket the vast political influence he wielded as a Tammany stalwart.

"Dutch Schultz" Overlord

Arthur (Dutch Schultz) Flegenheimer, one-time New York public enemy No. 1, but later a gang war victim, was the overlord of the racket, the man whose vituperative tongue and menacing gun forced the rich policy banks of Harlem into a single syndicate.

Henchman of the slain Schultz—one of them acknowledged he testified to save his own hide—declared Hines accepted $500 a

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Smash Windows In Nazi Embassy

WARSAW, Feb. 25—(AP)—Polish university students broke through police lines and smashed two ground floor windows at the German embassy today, capping two days of angry demonstrations in protest against treatment of polish students in the Nazified free city of Danzig.

The incident led the Polish Foreign Office to express regrets to the German ambassador immediately. The police guard around the embassy was doubled.

Anti-German demonstrations also were reported staged in the Polish university city of Gracow and at Poznan. Windows of two German stores were reported smashed at Poznan.

The attack on the embassy followed a cordial student welcome of Count Galeazzo Ciano, foreign minister of Italy—Germany's axis partner—who arrived for a five-day visit which diplomats said was to win Poland's "moral support" for Italian colonial aspirations.

Count Ciano appeared on the balcony of the Italian embassy and acknowledged the cheers of 2,000 students of Warsaw University. He shouted in Polish: "Long live Poland."

Spanish War's End Matter of Hours

Madrid In An Offer To Give Up Combat

PARIS, Feb. 25—(AP)—The end of the long Spanish civil war appeared to be only a matter of hours tonight.

The Spanish government, officials of the Madrid regime said, had agreed to offer its virtual surrender.

The capitulation to the Nationalist government of Generalissimo Francisco Franco will be called an "armistice," according to the officials, who declared it might go into effect late tonight or tomorrow.

Only unforseen resistance by government followers, they said, could postpone the end.

In Spain itself the battle fronts were as quiet as though an armistice already had been declared. Not even an air raid was reported.

These guarantees were said to was said to have been given by government Premier Juan Negrin after written guarantees had reached the British government from Franco.

These guarantees wer said to be assurances there would not be reprisals against Spanish government leaders. Nationalist authorities likewise would guarantee Spain's freedom from German and Italian domination, it was stated.

The assurances, largely meeting Negrin's terms for government surrender, were said to have been given by Franco apart from negotiations in Britain and France for recognition of the Nationalist regime, expected Monday.

Time Is Discussed

It was understood the time for the "armistice" to become effective was being discussed between the British government, the Spanish ambassador to London, and representatives of Franco's cabinet. The peace was said to have been proposed by Britain.

(Spanish government officials in London disclaimed knowledge of any armistice move. A Spanish embassy spokesman said negotiations looking toward an armistice must be preceded by a statement of terms on which the proposal were made. He professed ignorance of any such approach by the British government.)

The Madrid government's acceptance of the "armistice" was

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Snow Will Be Very Benefical

The five-inch snow, which fell in Sedalia and over the county Friday night and early Saturday morning, will be very beneficial for pastures and small grains, according to J. U. Morris, county extension agent.

The moisture is needed, he said, for the ground is not saturated to the point it should be for the spring season.

Saturday's maximum temperature was 34 degrees at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and the mercury went to a low of 21 degrees at 2 a. m. The wind was from the northeast.

Accounting On Risk Funds

No Light Given On Checks To C. R. Street

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25—(AP)—An accounting for the trustees' handling of $2,770,562 of impounded Missouri fire insurance premiums, filed in federal court today, failed to throw any light on $347,582.64 alleged by the government to have been handled by the late Charles R. Street of Chicago, one of the trustees.

Robert J. Folonie of Chicago, surviving trustee, said in an affidavit accompanying the report he had indorsed "a few checks" for Street but he did not know whether these had any relation to the $347,582.65 fund under inquiry.

Maurice Milligan, United States district attorney, had told a 3-judge court Feb. 8 the treasury department had assessed additional income taxes for 1936 against the estate of Street, asserting Street had received $347,582.64 "as a result of his activities in connection with the Missouri fire insurance rate litigation, which he failed to report on his return."

"Affiant has no knowledge whatever respecting the supposed fund alleged by the amicus curiae and the superintendent of insurance to have been received by Mr. Street during the year 1936," Folonie said in his affidavit.

"At some time during the year 1936 Charles R. Street presented to affiant a few checks from fire insurance companies, some five or ten, more or less, in number, payable to Charles R. Street and affiant, or to Charles

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Suit Asks Fees Restoration

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25—(AP)—The state insurance department filed suit in Cole county circuit court today against T. S. Mosby, former Jefferson City attorney, seeking restoration of $54,750 in fees paid in the 16 2-3 per cent fire insurance case.

The suit was prepared by Attorney General Roy McKittrick's office. McKittrick has fought bitterly fees paid in the involved insurance litigation.

Mosby acted as attorney for Guy M. Sone, circuit clerk of Cole county, who was custodian of the 16 2-3 per cent funds. Under allowance of Judge Nike G. Sevier of the Cole county circuit court, Mosby received $1,000 a month and Sone $500 a month.

The fees paid both men were voided by the state supreme court last October. Suit against Sone for the $28,000 he received was filed December 30.

At the same time, McKittrick sued H. P. Lauf and L. H. Cook, Jefferson City attorneys, for $59,500 each paid them as custodians and commissioners of the 10 per cent insurance funds. These allowances, also made by Judge Sevier, were voided by the supreme court in April, 1938.

Mosby has been living in California in recent months. The $54,750 paid him, if recovered, would be restored to the 16 2-3 per cent funds for repayment to policy holders who paid it in excess premiums.

Theft Is Charged From Automobile

Charges of grand larceny have been filed against William Jones and Charles Binkley, Negroes, in connection with the stealing of a $45 guitar and a handbag out of an automobile at Main street and Lamine on January 21.

The guitar and handbag belonged to Joe Calfer of Cole Camp.

According to confessions made by the two they "burned the guitar to get rid of it."

The two are held in the county jail.

Pianist Be Guest Artist

Basil Gauntlett, of Columbia, noted concert pianist, will appear as the soloist with the Sedalia Symphony orchestra at its third concert of the current season, according to an announcement made Saturday by Abe Rosenthal, conductor.

The concert will be presented Tuesday night, March 21, instead of a week earlier, as was originally scheduled. The date was changed from March 14 to accommodate Mr. Gauntlett, who previously had made other arrangements for that night.

Sedalia music lovers will recall that Mr. Gauntlett was one of the outstanding guest artists of the Symphony's 1936-37 season. He has been soloist with the St. Louis Symphony orchestra, the Milwaukee Symphony and has played in concert in a number of the larger cities.

Mr. Gauntlett will rehearse with the Sedalia orchestra at the regular rehearsal Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock at Smith-Cotton high school, and Mr. Rosenthal has requested a full attendance of the membership.

Slight Damage Results From Truck-Car Sideswipe

Slight damage resulted to a Coca Cola Bottling Co., truck and a model A Ford coupe at highway 65 and Cooper street Saturday evening, when the two vehicles sideswiped. No one was injured.

The truck was driven by B. A. Harding, of 416 West Sixteenth street, and the coupe by Harry Moran, of Independence, Mo.

W. F. Arnold Ill

W. F. Arnold, 118½ West Third street, who has been confined to his home for the last ten days is still quite ill.

The Weather

Generally fair Sunday and Monday; warmer in west and north portions Sunday and south and east-central portions Monday; colder in extreme northwest portion Monday.

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Snow Scene In Sedalia Saturday

A five-inch snow covered the ground Saturday morning and above is one of the attractive pictures taken by the Democrat and Capital's photographer. The location is Broadway and Barrett avenue.

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Modern People and Ancient Superstitions

Could there be any connection between these things:

The world today is governed less by reason and more by instinct and momentary feeling than at any time in recent years.

"Superstition is increasing by leaps and bounds," says Rev. G. R. Balleine and Dr. H. L. Goudge, British Church of England divines, who have studied the superstition situation and written a recent pamphlet about it.

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Tom Paine, philosophical father of his country, thought he saw dawning, 150 years ago, "The Age of Reason." He believed he could see a day coming when men would regulate their affairs sensibly, sanely, without passion, and in the sweet light of pure reason.

For a while it seemed that this might almost come true as Paine dreamed it. But today it seems farther away than ever. More and more in the affairs of today's world we substitute bluster for brains, impulse for intelligence, jitters for judgment, and rancor for reason.

Whole peoples today are ruled by the idea that to settle human problems by the exercise of cool reason is somehow degenerate; that the really red-blooded way to settle a problem is to work up a temperature of 104 and then grab a club and knock the ears off anybody who happens to be standing in the way.

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What has all this to do with the growth of superstition envisioned by the learned English divines? Just this: it is in such a world that rank growths of superstition flourish most abundantly. They complement and support the lack of reason as applied to affairs. That is why the campaign of the British clergymen to stamp it out is a timely one.

They believe that all superstitions are "forms of mental disease." We wouldn't know about that, but it is certain that the extremely superstitious live in a world which they have unnecessarily filled with terrors and restrictions. Life is quite complex enough with real and perfectly evident troubles and griefs. To fill it with purely imaginary dangers, threats, menaces, and terrors, or even with illusory omens and portents of good fortune, is to suffer unnecessarily.

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Fortunately, one man's superstition is another man's laughing-stock. Nobody believes them all. Why, imagine a man going around knocking on wood refusing to walk under ladders, sit with 13 at table, do anything on Friday, or shake hands over a threshold. Huh! Such foolishness! Or worrying about spilling salt—

Wait a minute! THAT'S unlucky! Unless you throw a pinch of it over your left shoulder.

This is the first time we have had a father of 31 children here.—Chairman of the bench of the Kidderminster Police Court, London, trying a theft case.

Bunk!—Dorothy Thompson's eloquent rebuttal of long speeches by Fascist leaders at the German-American Bund rally in New York.

Three Cleveland bandits entered a store, frightened the proprietor by blowing their noses vigorously, then walked off with $150. That's the first time we've ever heard of anything profitable from a cold.

Tunisia! Tunisia!

The controversy between Italy and France over Tunisia is a typical example of those purely European problems which are the quintessence of none of our business.

How did France get it in the first place? Well she grabbed it in much the same way that Italy would like to grab it today.

Back in the second half of the last century, the country was broke and prostrate. Britain, France, and Italy were all very happy to help in its difficulties in return for trade concessions and other valuable considerations.

Great Britain swapped off her interest to France in exchange for French approval of her leasing of Cyprus. In 1869 the country went finally broke, and Italy became one of three joint "receivers." France simply sent in Algerian soldiers, overran the country, and compelled the Bey to accept a French protectorate, which even Italy acknowledged in 1896, though more of the foreigners in Tunisia were Italian than any other nationality.

About the justice of the rival claims, Americans need have no opinion. Neither claim looks attractive enough to cause anybody to break into a sweat except the parties immediately concerned.

Favorable Balance?

A rather remarkable thing happened to United States foreign trade in 1938.

In 1937 we sent abroad, according to the Alexander Hamilton Institute, $3,349,000,000 worth of goods. In 1938, this fell off only to $3,094,000,000, a rather small drop considering the general state of world business. Meanwhile imports fell from $3,084,000,000 in 1937 to $1,960,000,000 in 1938, a tremendous decline.

How could we sell so much abroad and buy so little? Well the foreign countries sent gold and silver, more than enough to make up the difference. This is what is called, in pre-depression language, a "favorable balance" of trade.

What's favorable about it? We received, instead of things people could eat or wear, gold and silver of which we have too much already. We brought closer the day when the other countries will have run out of gold and silver, at which time they will have nothing to send in exchange for our exports, since we take less and less import goods all the time.

And that is the day when our export will fail to hold up as it did between 1937 and 1938, and we will wonder "what has become of our export trade?" and "How did Germany get it?"

• So They Say

Unfortunately it is the tendency of the Communist party to seek to control or destroy the things it gets into.—Norman Thomas, head of the Socialist party, criticising Communist influence in the Workers' Alliance.

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Laws cannot take the place of feeling. We cannot make people salute. What we want to do is to make them want to salute the flag.—Laurens M. Hamilton, president of the New York chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, at a patriotic meting.

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This state of affairs is slowly but surely bankrupting one of the country's largest industries and largest employers of labor. —John D. Battle, executive secretary of the National Coal Association, reporting a loss to the industry of $60,000,000 in 1938.

• Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

The county Democratic central committee met in the criminal court room yesterday afternoon to decide upon the method of selecting a candidate for county superintendent of schools. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Bell Hutchinson.

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The American Express company's "old hoss" sale at 305 South Ohio avenue yesterday was a success despite the fact rain came down in torrents most of the day.

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Joseph H. Simpson, a former Sedalian who is working in Eddy, N. M., has written a friend here, and he says he gets time off to go hunting or fishing several times a week. He suggests that his friends join him there.

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Bob Cunningham and Frank Leach have returned from a visit in Kansas City.

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S. K. Bullard, superintendent of the telegraph service of the Katy, who recently returned from California, remembered each of his clerks with presents.

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• The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

(Editor's Note — The Brass Ring, mark of honor of The Washington Merry-Go-Round, is awarded this week to the aviators of the U. S. Navy.)

WASHINGTON — With U. S. aviation about to increase to all-time highs, a serious situation exists in naval aviation which has been taken to the President himself, and which is causing considerable worry in naval and congressional circles.

This situation is the number of fatalities among naval fliers during the past year. A total of 55 fliers were killed in 1938 at San Diego alone.

This has created a virtual "reign of terror" among the wives of many aviators, who believe that most of the deaths were due to fatigue from too many hours in the air, and to the absence of mechanical safeguards.

Probably the basic reason for these fatalities is that the Navy always has been bossed by men skilled in navigating surface boats, heavy ships which can reduce speed and mark time until danger passes. Handling a modern warplane which requires decisions in split seconds is entirely different.

Caste System

Today there has grown up in naval aviation three groups of personnel which many regard as a caste system. They are:

(1) Regular naval officers who graduate from Annapolis, later train at the Navy's air school, famed Pensacola. These are the Navy's blue-bloods, usually strong on tradition and the trimmings of militarism.

(2) Enlisted men, super-types of sailors who are promoted through sheer ability. Highest they can rise, however, is to chief aviation pilot. They never can attain the higher ranks of Annapolis graduates. These men are the leathernecks of the air.

(3) Aviation cadets. These are graduates of colleges, briefly trained at Pensacola, who serve for four years with the Navy. At the end of four years' service they are compelled to retire. If they want to secure officer's rank and climb higher on the promotion ladder, they have to go back to Annapolis and get steeped in the trimmings of militarism.

Men in these three groups do much the same work, share the same risks, nevertheless the three groups get different pay and different social treatment. Between the enlisted men and the Annapolis graduates there is a wide chasm which the men resent deeply.

Naval Purge

Resentment is particularly keen because some of the Navy's non-Annapolis officers are now being purged by passing them over for promotion, thus automatically retiring them. On the purge list are some of the Navy's ablest pilots:

Captain John T. Towers, Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics, rated the Navy's No. 1 pilot.

Commander A. E. Montgomery, Executive Officer of the air force at the San Diego station.

Lieut. Commander David Rittenhouse, winner of the famous Schneider Cup.

Lieut. Commander Howard Brow, winner of the world speed record in land planes in 1922.

Lieut. Commander Andrew Crinkley, now testing a new bomber for the Navy, although he has been held unworthy for retention in the service.

Lieut. Commander R. D. Lyons, World War ace.

Lieut. Commander Henry Stanley, World War ace and famous racing pilot.

Explanations of Navy Department executives is that most of these men were World War fliers trained to pilot a plane but unskilled at anything else, such as commanding a battleship. Therefore, when they reach the dangerous age—which is 40 for pilots—they cannot be put back on the bridge of a warship or in command of a shore station.

Furthermore, the law requires that once an officer fails of promotion, he must be automatically retired and the Navy Department has no other alternative.

In this, the explanation of Navy higher-ups is correct. The fault is the law rather than in its administration. Nevertheless, the situation does not make for harmony in naval aviation ranks, and the men who are retired claim that they should be given a chance to command air units ashore.

Crowded Pearl Harbor

The number of air accidents taking place in the Navy last year was studied by President Roosevelt, and resulted in an order by him, personally, that pilots should spend no more than six hours in the air. Nevertheless, accidents, though diminished, have continued.

One cause of crashes is the crowded condition of Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, which makes it difficult for planes to land. Biggest naval air station is located on Ford Island, right in the center of the billion dollar base which is the keystone to U. S. defenses in the Pacific.

The channel between Ford Island and the mainland is crowded with two ferry services, warships, tugs, speed boats, social yachts, Japanese fishing sampans, and a myriad of anchorage buoys. And into this sea traffic, almost comparable to Times Square at 8 p. m., the Navys giant bombers must swoop down, one after the other, adding to their hazards the waves kicked up by the plane landing just ahead.

The job of landing a plane under these conditions requires super-pilots, and is like letting trucks, horseback riders and boys on bicycles dart across an army airport when a plane is landing.

The wreck of a giant bomber in Pearl Harbor last November emphasized the suicidal aspect of Ford Island, and now the Navy Department is rushing completion of a new air base isolated from Pearl Harbor's congestion.

Congressional Inquiry

The accident is alleged to have been caused by failure to install light buoys. These had been ordered placed in the bay, but for some reason were lying unused on the tender Wright. Congressmen who have probed the accident on the q. t. say that it was caused entirely by failure to have the buoys in place, despite the report of a subsequent Board of Inquiry which placed the blame on the dead pilots.

All of this has caused Representative Maas of Minnesota, former wartime flier, to propose abolishing both West Point and Annapolis requirements for Army and Navy fliers, placing both services under one air command with special air schools. This is the system followed by the British Air Corps.

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• Side Glances

By George Clark

"Him? Why, he's old enough to be your father!"

• Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. If you have been shown hospitality in a strange city, should you write the person a thank-you note?

2. If you are a guest at a house party, must you write a bread and butter note to your hostesses as soon as you return home?

3. Should the mother of a new baby write thank-you notes for all the gifts the baby received?

4. Should a friendly letter be put in as simple and unpretentious words as possible?

5. Should a social note be written by hand?

What would you do if—

You are a girl and a young man away at school invites you to his fraternity dance—

(a) Thank him for a good time before you leave for home?

(b) Thank him when you are with him, and write him a letter as soon as you return home telling him that you had a wonderful time?

(c) Assume that you did him a favor in going, and say nothing?

Answers

1. By all means.
2. Yes.
3. Yes.
4. Yes.
5. Yes.

Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Club Gives Program On Washington

Flat Creek Community club held its annual Washington birthday celebration Wednesday evening. The program was in charge of the social committee. Mrs. Max Riecke, chairman of the committee, announced the following program.

Recitation, Earl Lewis Burnett.

Song, "Sewing Son," Josephine Wadleigh and Doris Yvonne Holdner.

Patriotic play, children of Anderson school. These numbers were prepared by Miss Lois Carr, teacher.

Reading, "Truthful George," Miss Dorothy Wadleigh.

Talk by C. D. McMurren of Sedalia.

Address, "Character," Dick Keenan of Sedalia.

After the program the committee served delicious refreshments of brick ice cream and cherry cup cakes.

The program March 17 will be a soil conservation in charge of the agricultural committee.

Families of Club Were Entertained

The women of the Sunnyside Home Economics club entertained their families with a program Washington's birthday, at the Sunnyside school.

A high school quartette, composed of Ernest Slatinsky, Billy Roberts, Clarence Roe and Bob Wild, sang "Cornfield Melodies," "Honey That I Love" and "Home On the Range," accompanied by Mrs. A. R. Beach.

Reta Slatinsky gave a humorous reading, "We Don't Need A Radio, We're On A Party Line."

Bob Wild, Billy Roberts and Ernest Slatinsky each sang a solo.

A play entitled "Mushrooms Coming Up," was given by the following cast:

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Susan Todd ... Mrs. W. P. Tucker
Mrs. Carter ... Mrs. J. A. DeJarnett
Mrs. Rudd ... Mrs. Lorrain Berry
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• SERIAL STORY

WOMEN WANT BEAUTY!

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Yesterday: Susie balks at going through with her beauty program. But Jeff convinces her she must try.

CHAPTER XII

JEFF felt helpless. Knowing that Susie's reaction was that of any well-bred girl, he could think of no convincing arguments. He started at the beginning again.

"You must have had some reason for answering Mr. Harker's ad," he suggested.

"Yes." Susie twisted her cotton gloved hands. Dick—to be the kind of a girl Dick admired—to get away from the drab nothingness of her life—it had seemed worth any sacrifice.

"The reason still remains?" he went on, noticing the change in her defiant attitude.

"Oh, yes," she answered forlornly.

"Then give it a try. A little publicity won't hurt you. The movie stars lie awake nights trying to think up ways to attract attention. Let Mr. Harker tell an interested feminine public what you didn't eat to drag off superfluous pounds, let him tell the kind of shampoo that brought out the gold in your hair—"

"Gold in my hair—," she looked up disgustedly.

"Let him publish your picture now—and later. Listen to the envious gals gasp when they see Suzanne—"

"Suzanne—?" Susie started incredulously.

"Yep. That's what the Chief said. "Susie it is, when we finish with her she'll be Suzanne." And he'll do it, Susie. That is, he'll do it if you'll help, if you'll cooperate and not be difficult."

Susie blazed a glance at him. "I'm not difficult. I'm nice inside."

"That's the girl." Jeff mentally patted himself on the back. At handling women he was a wizard, positively a wizard. Parking the car in the company's garage, he ushered Susie through the store to an elevator. A buzz followed them, subdued laughter brought the purplish flush to Susie's round face. Once before she'd heard a buzz like that, laughter like that. It was in a fraternity house dressing room.

After four years the old wound had still not healed. What had she let herself in for? Oh, to be out of it—to be back at the waffle irons. She set her teeth and mentally prepared a speech of courteous withdrawal for Mr. Harker. She'd bet her best hat, a thing she did not own, that Mr. Harker was one of those wolves they had been talking about, nice like a sheep on the outside, cold and crafty underneath.

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AT the door of his office, with the switchboard girl staring, round-eyed, after her, Susie almost turned and bolted. She did half turn and Jeff's big arm shot out to stop her. In that split second before she faced about a voice came to Susie. It was her own voice. "I'd give my hope of heaven, I'd give the rest of my life—."

She dropped her head in shame. It was a humble, disciplined Susie who walked into Mr. Harker's office. Rising, he came around the desk, holding out his hand.

Jeff said, "This is Susie Lambert, Mr. Harker." He knew, from the Chief's controlled expression that he hadn't expected anything quite so bad as Susie. And Susie was at her very worst, brows drawn, eyes defiant, desperately afraid that she was about to meet unkind laughter again.

Mr. Harker shook her hand and led her to a chair close to his desk. Jeff, his mission accomplished, went to the outer office and Mr. Harker followed him.

"She's pretty bad," he said thoughtfully. Then he brightened. "But that's what I wanted."

Jeff said, "Be a little cagey with her, Chief. She bolted once, said she wouldn't be a guinea pig."

John Harker's eyes lighted with a laugh. "That's good—swell. I was afraid she didn't have spirit. Anything else I should know? What did your mother say?"

"Edna likes her, she sees possibilities. Susie has a nice sense of humor, she's repressed and inhibited—it'll take a lot of doing." Jeff felt very proud to have the Chief ask his advice. But that was like the Chief. The swellest man a guy ever worked for.

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MR. HARKER went back to Susie. He met her hurrying toward the door and pretended not to notice the flight.

"Sit down, Susie," he said. "I'll call you Susie because we're going to see a lot of each other in the next several months. Let's talk things over a little."

She sat down, nervously smoothing her gloves. "I—I don't think I can do it, Mr. Harker." She spoke as one who was about to have her tonsils removed.

"Tell me why," he said gently. In truth Mr. Harker was of the same opinion at the moment.

Susie bit her lip to curb the threatening tears. "Be-because I won't be a success, because I'm impossible," she said chokingly. "Because you are doing it for publicity and failure would be bad for your business." Saying this Susie raised her eyes and Mr. Harker's doubts vanished. Her eyes were misted, they were the most desperately unhappy eyes he had ever seen. He leaned across the desk.

"You want us to try, don't you, Susie?"

"Oh, yes. It's been so—awful." What had been so awful she left to his imagination and he nodded understandingly.

"Perhaps we can't make a raving beauty of you; to tell the truth, there are very few raving beauties in the world. But you can have charm, Susie, you can attract without startling beauty, we can help you make the most of yourself."

"Can you?" she inquired, leaning toward him wistfully.

"Yes indeed we can," Harker assured. Then, remembering the guinea pig complex, he added, "You'll have to understand that our criticism is no more personal than your doctor's would be if he said you had a bad appendix or if your French teacher complained of your accent in trying to help you. See what I mean?"

"I think so." After a hesitation she said, "The picture in the paper, Mr. Harker—I don't like it. People don't seem to realize that all girls are the same inside—they'll laugh at me—."

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MR. HARKER nodded sympathetically. "No picture shall be published unless you are willing. I have a photographer—he's tops in his line. We have in mind a picture that will suggest your bad points without emphasizing them. Will you let him try? You shall see the proofs and decide."

He was so kind that Susie's defense went down in disorder. She found herself agreeing to everything, submitting willingly. And with the first hard moment over things began to happen. Susie was photographed from every angle.

At first furiously conscious of herself, she gradually accepted the impersonal treatment. With the departure of the cameraman other people were called in consultation. A physical director not connected with the store, a blunt, forceful man with a Scandinavian accent; Miss Fleming, head of the Beauty Salon, a middle-aged woman with skin like a girl.

Susie looked dazedly at Mr. Harker, at Miss Fleming who was making notes about her many faults, at Clifford Kane who, as manager of her campaign, must know every step of the way. They kept talking together as if she weren't there. Exercise would help her awkwardness. If not, dancing lessons would turn the trick. When it was all said and done, what about her nose? Her feet weren't so bad, it was the shoes. But her nose—. Susie felt twisted and torn and pummeled.

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Hawes Tells The Missouri Society of The James Boys

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Missourians heard tonight that the "true story" of Jesse James, the state's most notorious badman lay "between the extremes of horrification and glorification."

Jesse's brother and co-conspirator, Frank, was "elder and abler," former Sen. Harry B. Hawes, told the Missouri Society.

Hawes said the James boys were "essentially the product of an environment; they grew up in an atmosphere of border warfare."

Their home was Western Missouri, scene of pre-Civil War struggles between abolitionist-minded Kansans and slave holding Missourians.

While cautioning "we must not permit our boys and girls to accept the myth for actuality," Hawes said the James boys robbed and murdered "in a setting which in part condoned these things."

"They did not pick pockets, steal by stealth, burgle in the night time, nor rob the poor of a few dollars; and it is true that the line of friendship was sharply drawn and seldom violated," he said.

"The horse and revolver were their instruments of assault, they were credited with having respect for women, being fond of children and kind to dogs, but they did murder ruthlessly, they did rob and steal, burn and destroy property, run off with horses and cattle and violate law and order in their raids."

"Between the extremes of horrification and glorification of the partisan chronicles of that day lies the truth" of the James boys, Hawes said.

He placed much of the blame for the James boys' action on the shoulders of the desperado Quantrill, termed by one historian "the bloodiest man" of the Civil war.

From February, 1866, when the James gang robbed the Bank of Liberty, Mo., of $60,000—"Their most serious depredation"—Hawes traced the vari-colored career of the James boys through many of their escapades.

Carried A Testament

Although "human life with them was not a sacred thing," he said, Jesse was 27 when he married—the "end of a courtship of almost nine years. His conduct in the presence of women was exemplary; his language always circumspect."

A clergyman, after seeing a copy of the New Testament which Jesse always carried, reported: "Never have I seen a Bible so marked up, showing, constant usage."

Hawes then described the end of the careers—the death of Jesse and the dramatic surrender of Frank, the Shakespeare-loving member of the family, at Gallatin, Mo., October 5, 1882, and concluded by saying:

"What wonderful changes time has encompassed. Peace on the Missouri-Kansas border, good will and even political agreement, as Kansas has even gone Democratic."

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Hawes said he how had in his possession two revolvers given to him by Robert L. Bates, former chief of police at Excelsior Springs, who had taken them from young Jesse James who stated the guns were carried by his father.

Delves In Archives

The former senator said he had witnessed a preview of the motion picture, "Jesse James," which had caused him to delve into the archives of the congressional library. The main sources of James lore, he found there were three books, one by Major John N. Edwards (a former Sedalia editor) entitled, "Noted Guerrillas or The Warfare of The Border." The second, "Quantrill and The Border Wars," by William Elsey Connelley, and the third, by Robertus Love, entitled "The Rise and Fall of Jesse James."

Public sympathy began to favor the James boys, Hawes said, after the bombing of the home of their mother, which the people of Clay county called "the crime of the century."

"At long intervals," Hawes said, "the James boys visited their mother. The Pinkerton operatives found this out, and finally there came a scene that the (movie) reel carried with some accuracy: surrounding the home of Mrs. Samuel, the Pinkertons first threw lighted balls of cotton; and then a bomb which blew off the right forearm of Mrs. Samuel. One of the small boys had his side pierced; little Archie died before dawn; Mrs. Samuel's arm was amputated; the little Negro servant was wounded."

Hawes recounted in detail the long list of crimes attributed to the James gang, starting with the Liberty bank holdup.

"Next followed the robbery of a bank at Lexington, Mo.," he said. "This netted $2,000 in cash. Then a bank at Savannah was attacked. The owner's son returned the fire of the outlaws and drove them away, followed by a possee, and the desperadoes became definitely known as the James gang.

"After Savannah, came Richmond, in May, 1867, resulting in the death of eight persons and a loss of $4,000.

"Clay and Jackson counties and all through Missouri becoming dangerous, they crossed into Kentucky and robbed a bank at Russellville and rode away with $14,000.

"By this time, the Pinkerton Detective Agency was on the trail and things became uncomfortable, so the James boys went to California, acting upon the advice, 'stay away awhile, boys, and it will all blow over.'

"Returning in 1869, a bank was robbed in the usual manner at Gallatin, Mo. The cashier was slain and, so, the story goes, the horse of one of the James boys was killed and they escaped riding tandem.

"For a time they took refuge in Kentucky, Texas and Indian Territory, then, in 1870, they invaded Iowa, and robbed the bank at Braydon.

"In 1872, a bank was robbed at Columbia, Ky. The cashier, refusing to deliver the vault keys, was murdered. Only about $200 was taken.

"Ten thousand dollars was taken from a race track near Kansas City in September, 1872.

":In 1873 the gang later rode 400 miles to Ste. Genevieve, the first white settlement on Missouri soil. There they obtained $4,000 in silver.

"Following this came an innovation, the robbery of a train. Their loot totaled $3,000. Later, the same night, another train passed, carrying $75,000 in gold, a mistake by hours.

"In 1874, there was another innovation, a stage-coach was robbed between Malvern anld Hot Springs, Ark.

"In the same year, the Little Rock Express from St. Louis was to stop at Gadshill, Mo. The conductor stepped to the ground. He was confronted with the muzzle of a pistol. The engineer and fireman were ordered to walk into the woods. Two men went through the Pullman cars, collecting $2,000. Another $1,000 was taken from the safe; the mail bags yielded $2,000 more.

"Posses from Piedmont, Ironton and adjacent towns trailed the bandits. Railroads and express companies offered new rewards and the Pinkertons again took up the trail. Finally, it resulted in the death of two Pinkerton operatives and John Younger, a member of the gang, who was killed at the age of 24.

"Shortly after this there was a stage robbery in Texas, about 23 miles southwest of Austin. The loot from this robbery was estimated at $3,000.

"In 1874, a Kansas-Pacific train was robbed near Muncie, Kas. This produced about $1,000.

"Then followed a robbery in Huntington, W. Va., in September, 1875. From a bank, so the chronicle states, they collected several thousand dollars.

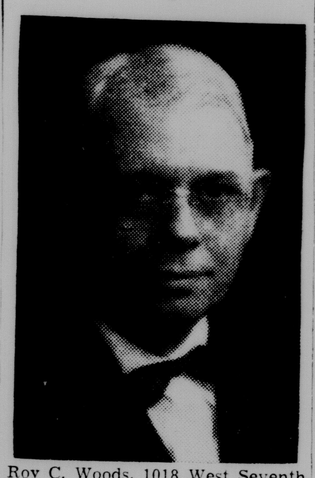
"There was a robbery of a Missouri Pacific train at Otterville, Mo., in Cooper county. This provided the gang with nearly $2,000 apiece.

"They then started for Minnesota. They went on horseback, wearing linen dusters which concealed both their clothes and their weapons. The excellent horseflesh they rode attracted some undesired attention. This was in 1876 and it proved a waterloo for the Missourians.

"Two Northfield citizens were slain. Approximately 1,000 men participated in the pursuit that followed. When the fighting was over, Jim Younger had five wounds; Cole Younger eleven wounds; Thomas Coleman Younger was on his back, badly wounded.

"Later, the Younger boys pleaded guilty and were sentenced to imprisonment for life in the prison at Stillwater. The rest of the gang got back to Missouri."

Your Neighbor



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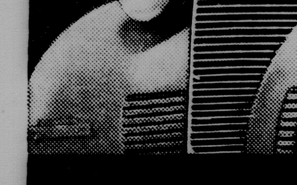

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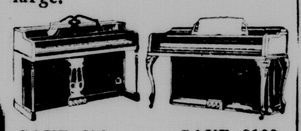

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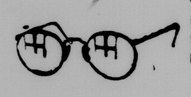

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Founder's Day By South Side P. T. A.

The South Side P. T. A. met last Tuesday evening in regular session and observed Founder's Day.

The meeting was opened by the singing of "Faith of Our Founders," followed by the P. T. A. prayer read by Mrs. P. R. Burford. George Coffman presided over the business meeting.

Following that the program chairman, Mrs. Lamar Stelljes, announced the interesting program of the evening. It included, a reading, "Welcome," by Harold Coffman; a song, "Onward Christian Soldiers," the audience; a reading, "February Birthdays," June Frisbie; a reading, "A Hero," Billy Dick Stelljes; explanation of a Language Arts Unit, Betty Frisbie, and a song, "Jesus Loves Me," by Judy Scotten.

Superintendent C. F. Scotten was then introduced and he gave an educational travelogue on his recent trip to Texas and other points of interest in the southwest.

Mrs. P. R. Burford, of Sedalia, district P. T. A. president, was introduced by Mrs. Stelljes. Mrs. Burford spoke on the founding of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers and the progress the organization has made. She also commended the South Side unit on its work. Mrs. Burford helped in the organization of that unit.

An impressive candle-lighting service was given in commemoration of Founder's Day. Candles in honor of the Founders, past workers and present officers were lighted. Closing that part of the program, "America" was sung.

Mr. Coffman then presented a beautifully decorated cake, containing 42 candles to Mrs. Burford who in turn gave it to the unit. The cake was sold by pieces and a generous amount was realized for the Founder's Day gift. The P. T. A. colors, blue and gold, were carried out in the decorations.

During the social hour, Mrs. George Coffman and Mrs. Robert Frisbie served the refreshments. A Valentine box was also enjoyed.

Among those who were unable to attend because of illness was Mrs. Katherine Lyles, the music supervisor.

Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, Feb. 28 at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. Program and social session.

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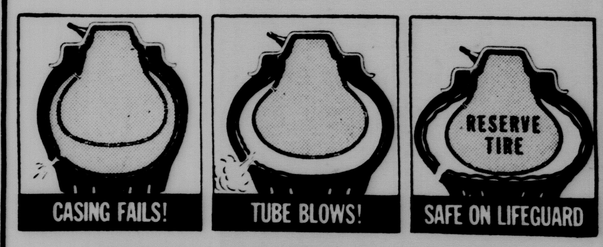

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National Movie Quiz Announcement

Most motion picture audiences will be interested in National Announcement Night, that will be held in motion picture theatres throughout the country on Monday evening, February 27th; for this day will be truly remembered by 5,404 persons—winners of the $250,000 Movie Quiz Contest. On this occasion announcement of the winners will be made from the stages or screens of all the motion picture theatres that have participated in the campaign that marked Motion Pictures' Greatest Year.

Manager Ed Mater of the Liberty Theatre will celebrate this occasion by announcing the names of all national prize winners from the $50,000 first prize, $25,000 second prize, $10,000 prize winners, $5,000 prize winners, down to the $1,000 successful contestants. In addition all local prize winners will be announced. Should winners be present in the theatres, certified checks, issued by the Chemical Bank and Trust Company, of New York will be presented to them on this occasion.

The judges of the contest are: Mrs. Ogden Reid, Dr. James E. West, Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, the Honorable Bruce Barton and Mr. Hendrik Willem van Loon.

In the selection of the winning letters, the entries were considered without signatures and identified by a key number. In that way even the judges did not know the names of the successful contestants until after they made their selections.

The motion picture industry is proud of the success of this contest and the manner in which it was judged. Although a tremendous task, because of the large number of entries, each answer was carefully checked by a staff of experts, and through a process of elimination the letters were graded and then considered by the judges.

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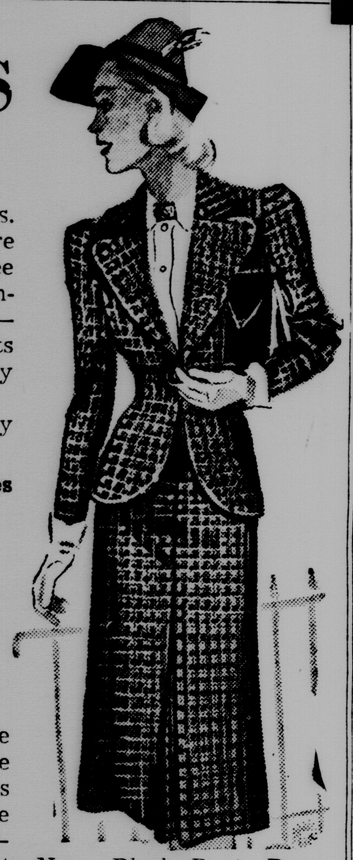

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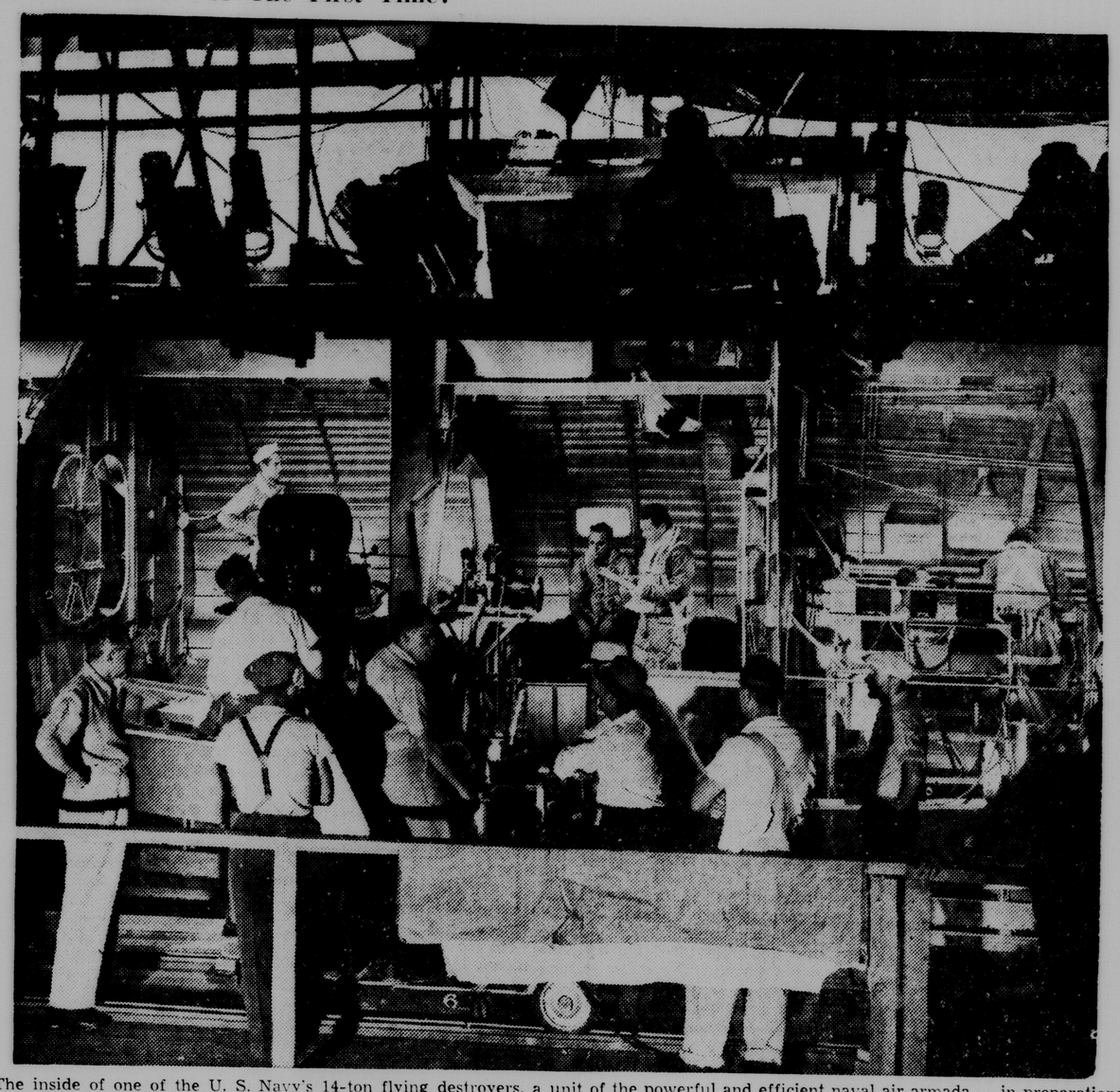

The inside of one of the U. S. Navy's 14-ton flying destroyers, a unit of the powerful and efficient naval air armada — in preparations for a 'take.' Eighty-four ships in seven squadrons were based at North Island, San Diego, during shooting of the Warner Bros.-Cosmopolitan picture Wings of the Navy"," with George Brent, Olivia de Haviland and John Payne, coming to the Liberty Theatre Tuesday for three days. Other scenes for the picture were filmed at the Naval Air Base at Pensacola, Fla.

Romancing In "Trade Winds"

Walter Wanger's "Trade Winds," opening today at the Liberty Theatre, brings Joan Bennett and Fredric March together as co-stars in a film for which Director Garnett went photographing around the world.

The Texas Rangers—Famous Singers On Stage at Uptown Theatre Today!

In the picture, left to right, are: Idaho, Dave, Tenderfoot, Irish, Bob, Arizona, Tookie and Monte.

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Long a ranking favorite with the radio audience, the Texas Rangers offer western music in the style of the open range, occasionally a bit of hot swing, and usually a homey ballad dear to the hearts of the thousands of listeners.

Playing more than twenty instruments, the musical ensemble features Clarence Hartman on the bass viol as "Idaho;" Paul Sells, piano and accordion as "Monte"; Herb Kratoska, guitar and banjo, as "Arizona"; and Gomer Cool, violin, as "Tenderfoot." The Texas Rangers quartet consist of Rod May, known as "Dave"; Fran Mahaney, called "Irish"; Tookie Cronenhold, called Tookie; and Bob Crawford, as "Captain Bob."

The Texas Rangers musical ensemble and quartet are also heard in a coast-to-coast network broadcast of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

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You will be told that the Basic Science Bill, which we are objecting to, is to improve the standards of the drugless professions. the real purpose is to eliminate them, and many doctors in authority so admit. Chiropractors spend more hours in anatomy, physiology and pathology than the medics but we study from a different viewpoint. Our anatomy is general, not surgical. We use no drugs so do not need chemistry. Our idea of bacteriology is different. Chiropractors do not get by Basic Science Boards first, because they are hostile; second, because our viewpoint is different and what WE believe true is not THEIR idea so we must answer THEIR way or not be permitted to take a chiropractic board examination. To pass a Basic Board, chiropractors must waste much time studying topics they do not believe in and cannot use.

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Member Mo. State Chiropractic Board

Note: Office closed tomorrow morning and Tuesday afternoon.

To Attend Peabody College at Nashville

Miss Virginia Herrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O. Herrick, 2100 South Marvin avenue, arrived home from Harrisonville, Mo., to spend a few weeks visiting with her parents. Miss Herrick, a nurse, will be sent to Nashville, Tenn., where she will enter the Peabody College for a three months course. She is a graduate of the Barnes hospital of the Washington University.

Address Be Given On Hospitalization Service

Chester G. Starr will address a meeting to be held in the assembly room of the court house, at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday, March 1, sponsored by the Pettis County Farm Bureau. He will speak on hospitalization service.

Granted A Divorce

Mrs. Fern Curry was granted a divorce from J. Russell Curry in circuit court Saturday, and granted restoration of her former name, Fern Burnett.

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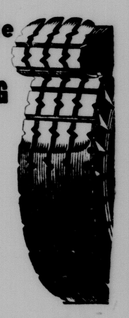

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REAL ESTATE HOME OWNER'S and BUILDER'S PAGE

Many Types of Home Repairs Are Eligible

Many Improvements Possible Under FHA Plan

To emphasize the many types of work that property owners or lessees may accomplish under the Federal Housing Administration's Property Improvement Credit Plan, a list of home repairs or improvements is suggested by the FHA.

Under this plan funds may be borrowed by responsible persons from private financial institutions to finance the cost of repairs, alterations, and improvements such as are listed below.

List of Types of Work

The list, while not all-inclusive, gives a general indication of basic types of work which may be done:

Plumbing, including necessary fixtures as a part of the plumbing system.

Light plants as a part of the lighting system.

Incinerators, if permanently built into the structure.

Heating systems, whether coal, wood, oil, gas, etc.

Hot-water heaters, if in connection with plumbing system.

Coal stokers, oil burners, gas-conversion burners, if installed in connection with heating system.

Temperature regulators.

Ash-removal equipment, if in connection with heating system.

Electric wiring and lighting fixtures, if integral part of wiring system.

Radiation, if part of heating system, including valves.

Gas generators as a part of the lighting or heating system.

Wells and cisterns, including pumps and windmills operated in connection with plumbing system.

Sewerage-disposal systems.

Water and sewerage connections with public mains.

Air-conditioning equipment, if permanently built into structures.

Humidifying equipment, if an integral and permanent part of heating or air-conditioning system.

Built-in ventilating equipment.

Forced heat-circulating equipment.

Fire escapes, if permanently attached to structure.

Sprinkler systems.

Fire and burglar-alarm systems, if permanent part of structure.

Elevators and dumb waiters.

Cabinets, if built in.

Linoleums, if cemented to the floor.

Built-in ironing boards, dinettes, flower boxes, cabinets, bookcases, cupboards.

Built-in laundry chutes.

Fitted storm doors and sash built for porches, windows, etc.

Fitted screen doors and windows built for porches, windows, etc.

Window-Conditioning, Insulation

New doors and windows of all kinds.

Built-in door or wall mirrors.

Automatic garage-door openers.

Weather-stripping.

Awnings and shutters.

Coal chutes.

Built-in package receivers and mail boxes.

All applied wall coverings.

Wall and floor tiles.

Sound-proofing.

Insulating.

Fire-retarding walls.

Stairs.

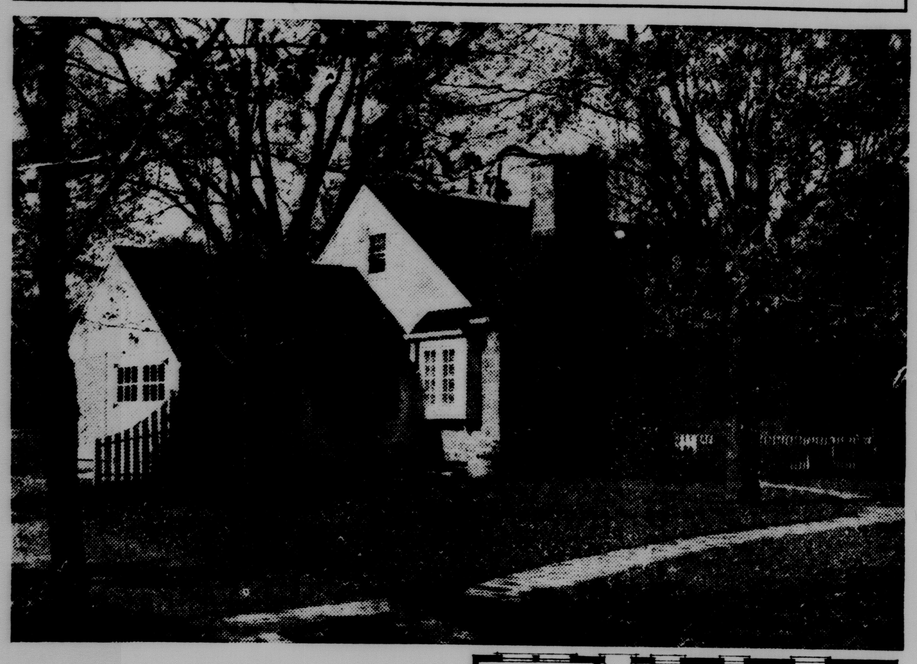
Waterproofing cellars.

Flooring.

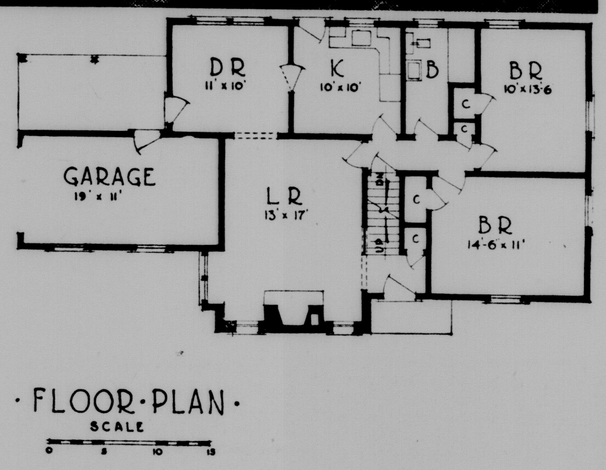
Furnaces and boilers.

Any person planning alterations, repairs, or improvements to a residential property under FHA's Property Improvement Credit Plan may have a ruling on the eligibility of particular items in question by writing direct to the Federal Housing Administration, at Washington, D. C.

Stone and Wood Give Charm



The charm of a small cottage is blended here with the rugged dignity that only stone can give, with the result that a distinguished home is evolved. The double window on the side not only provides the living room with another exposure but also serves as an effective architectural feature. The lengthwise garage gives the house an appearance of breadth and provides a balance for the center wall of stone. This home, valued at $7,800 by the Federal Housing Administration, was built in New Jersey with the assistance of an FHA-insured mortgage of $6,600.



Advance On The Grain Market

CHICAGO, Feb. 25—(AP)—In the sharpest price movement since Monday, wheat values advanced as much as ⅝ cent during the final hour today on purchasing attributed to shorts.

The advancing stock market and the tone of the Hopkins speech in Iowa together with a sgugestion for an increase in the public debt limit were factors in the background credited with stirring some previous sellers to cover their operations with buying orders.

Wheat closed ¼c to ⅝c higher than yesterday, May 68⅞c t o 69c, July 69c to 69¼c. Corn however, was unchanged to ⅛c up. May 49½c to 49⅝c, July 50¾c to 50⅝c; oats unchanged to ¼c up; rye ⅜c higher and lard unchanged.

Prior to the late advance wheat trade was very dull.

Steady corn prices reflected offsetting developments in the trade. Argentine prices closed ¾c to 1c higher and the export situation was reported improved but no new business could be confirmed.

Country reports indicated elevators were reselling oats to farmers at prices 2 to 3 cents over terminal bids. The same situation was reported in connection with corn. Rye followed wheat.

Lard trading was quiet, with traders awaiting March delivery notices.

Discuss Kitchens In Meeting

The Dresden Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Ed Van Natta, Tuesday, February 21, with Mrs. L. P. Rose and Mrs Elmer Painter assisting the hostess.

After a delightful luncheon a very interesting meeting was called to order by their president, Mrs. George Fichter. Many helpful hints were discussed in regard to rearranging kitchens to be more convenient and to beautify them as well.

The sixteen members present were glad to welcome two new members to their club, Mrs. Henry Bolton and Mrs. J. C. Drake.

Mrs. Rome Van Natta and children Sue and Jerry and Miss Nadine Stine were guests.

Yard improvement will be the subject of the next meeting, March 21, at the home of Mrs. Daisy Oswald.

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Feb. 25—(AP)—(U. S. Department Agriculture)—Hogs: Receipts 200; today's market steady to 10 cents lower than Friday's average on few small lots available; strictly choice light hogs absent; few 200 to 280 pounds average, $7.75 to $8.00; compared with a week ago, steady to 10 cents higher.

Cattle: Receipts 100; calves none; today's market nominal, compared Friday last week, fed steers and yearlings 25 cents higher; good to near choice kinds, 25 to 40 cents up; all she stock and bulls, 25 cents up; vealers 50c lower; week's top 1,317 pounds steers, $13.75.

Sheep: Receipts 3,000; today's market nominal. Compared Friday last week, fat lambs and yearlings strong to 25 cents higher; sheep weak to 15 cents lower; week's lamb top, $9.25.

CHICAGO: WHEAT—	High	Low	Closed Saturday	Closed Friday
May	69	68⅜	68⅞-69	68⅝-½
July	69⅜	68½	69⅛	68⅝
Sept	70	69⅝	69⅞-70	69½-⅝
CORN—				
May	49½	49¼	49½-⅝	49⅜
July	50¾	50½	50¾-⅝	50⅝
Sept	51¼	50&	51¼	51⅜
OATS—				
May	29⅛	28⅞	29⅛-29	28⅞
July	27⅜	27⅛	27⅜	27⅛
Sept	26⅞	26⅞	26⅜	26¾
RYE—				
May	45⅜	45	45⅜	45
July	45⅜	45	45⅜	45
Sept	47¼	46⅞	47⅛	46¾
SOY BEANS—				
May	....	....	82¼	82
July	....	....	82¼	82
Oct	....	....	76¾	76½

Iowa's Oldest Twins Sisters of Misfortune

PULASKI, Ia., Feb. 25.—Iowa's oldest twins, 94 years old, are sisters in misfortune this week.

The day after Mrs. Jane Giles fell in her home and dislocated a shoulder, her twin sister, Miss Rachel Rader, fell down a flight of stairs and cut her head. Both were reported recovering today.

Lee Flock Still High Producer

The poultry flock owned by F. Claude Lee of La Monte, consisting of 184 White Leghorn hens, was again the high producing flock of the poultry cooperators who submit their records to the county extension office each month. This flock produced an average of 11.9 eggs per hen during the month of January.

A flock of 180 Barred Rock and White Leghorn hens owned by C. S. Arnold, of Hughesville, with an average of 10.1 eggs per hen was the second high producing flock.

The third high producing flock was owned by Mrs. J. E. Thompson, of Sedalia, with an average of 7.9 eggs per hen.

Many of these poultry producers and other Pettis County poultry producers are starting their chicks at this time.

It is a serious mistake, states E. B. Winner, assistant county agent, to overcrowd the brooder house in an effort to raise a large number of pullets. Overcrowding results in slow, uneven growth, higher feed costs and later maturity. The risk from crowding and piling up under such conditions is also great.

Brooding experiments show that when the floor space is reduced from 50 square feet to less than 35 square feet of floor area per 100 chicks, mortality increases from 13 to 26 per cent. This means that a poultry producer cannot expect to have highly, satisfactory results if more than 300 to 350 day-old chicks are placed in a 10x12 brooder house.

It is also important that plenty of feeding and watering space be supplied. One inch of feeder space and one-half inch of watering space should be provided for each chick, states Mr. Winner. The space should be increased as the chicks become older.

Roosts with netting under them can be placed on bricks to make good starting roosts. Such roosts should be installed when the chicks are three weeks of age. As the chicks grow older, the roosts should be raised and more roosting space provided.

Poultry and Egg Market

(Furnished By Swift and Co.)

The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of feed No. 2 poultry paid for at market value.

Heavy hens	12c
Leghorn hens	10c
Heavy stags	10c
Light stags	8c
Heavy cox	7c
Leghorn cox	5c
Eggs, henneries	14c
Eggs, No. 1	13c
Eggs, No. 2	10c
No. 1 butterfat	23c
No. 2 butterfat	21c

Orson Welles, who figured prominently in the recent Martian scare, played in "The Wizard of Oz" when he was 12 years old.

Report Progress On Lincoln School Construction Work

The Public Works Administrations $32,700.00 financed school at Lincoln, reached the half way completion mark last week, P. W. A. Resident Engineer Inspector Geo. H. Kastendieck announced Friday, following an inspection by members of the School Board, J. B. List, owner's inspector and resident inspector for P. W. A.

The inspector showed, that progress on the building was generally satisfactory. P. W. A. Resident Engineer Inspector, Mr. Kastendieck reported that the contractor, J. B. Hancock had met the standards set forth in the specifications drawn by local officials. Reports of the inspection party showed most of the remodeling work in the old building to be completed. The new heating plant has been installed and the old auditorium remodeled and made into a study hall, which was occupied by the students Monday morning. The brick work on the new portion is 95 per cent complete.

"This project compares favorably with the hundreds of others that are being carried on in this State, and the thousands throughout the nation being carried on with the Public Works Administration Funds. Planned by your citizens, built by local craftsmen, you have shown a fine selection in your project here," says Geo. H. Kastendieck, Resident Engineer Inspector P. W. A., Lincoln, Mo.

No Births or Deaths For Whole Year

PORTSMOUTH VILLAGE, N. C. Feb. 2.—No births and no deaths! This was the record of this village of 50 persons for 1938.

New Dairy Bill Is Important

For the information of the readers of The Democrat, Commissioner Jewell Mayes of the Missouri State Department of Agriculture announces that the new dairy bill No. 232, submitted by the State Dairy Industries Council, (composed of all state-wide dairy organizations of breeders, dairymen, processors and distributors), repeals 27 sections of the old law in chapter 87, R. S., 1929, and enacts 37 new sections, to modernize and bring the dairy law down to date.

The same cream buying and testing 2.00 licenses as now in force under the present dairy law, the same Forms A, B and C licenses; a dairy products manufacturing plant license scaled from $10.00 to $25.00 according to volume, and a license for creamery field superintendents.

Legislation Important

That Missouri house bill 232, approved unanimously by the House agricultural committee, is important is illustrated by the following concise analysis of the measure, which was endorsed by all the state-wide dairy organizations:

The new dairy bill repeals and revises all the dairy law, except that it leaves undisturbed the following sections: Sections 12,408 to 12,415, the "filled milk" law; sections 12,418 and 12,420 on cheese labeling; false testimony section 12,427; sections 12,433 to 12,457, including oleomargarine law; tuberculosis law of 1921; and section 7204 granting cities and towns the right to control their local milk supply by ordinance.

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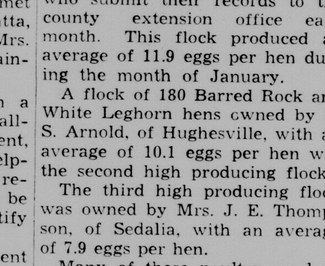
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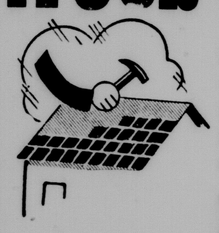
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Timely News Items From Central Missouri Towns

• Lincoln

(By Maye Messersmith)

Mrs. Walter Swearengin, Mrs. Emma Holland and Mrs. Kenneth F. Davis were in Sedalia last Wednesday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Swearengin and Mrs. Sadie Swearengin.

Mrs. J. A. Reeves was hostess to her Embroidery club at her home on last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kennedy, Mrs. Alvin Groomer and Ed Bennett, all of Warsaw, were guests in the H. F. Davis home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. Merlin Henry, Mrs. Dewey Larson, Mrs. C. F. Pohl and Mrs. C. O. Davis visited in Warsaw last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Southard, Earl Southard anr daughter, Betty Earls, all of Fristoe, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McFarland and family Sunday.

Nancy Emmaline Carrico was born February 22, 1869, died February 13, 1939.

She was united in marriage to Tobias Failer on October 28, 1886 and to this union were born seven children, James Failer and Mary Ebeling of Windsor, Annie Schoonover, Georg Failer, and Tilda Schoonover, all of Farmington, Illinois, and John Failer of Lincoln. One child died in infancy.

Those who were guests in the home of August Jaekel and son Franklin Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hass, Adolph Hass, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kreissler, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kreissler, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kreissler, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wenig, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Swartzel, Martin Kreissler, Otto Mueller, Lorenz and Elmer Kreissler, Vernon and Wilbur Hass, Misses Pauline Kreissler, Mildred and Helen Mueller, Marietta Wenig and Neoma and Jane Kreissler. This was in celebration of Mr. Jaekel's birthday. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Helen Meuschke received a message Saturday stating that Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Vette are both in General hospital in Hobbs, New Mexico, as the result of an automobile accident. The message stated that Mrs. Vette was suffering from a fractured hip and pelvis, but did not state the extent of Mr. Vette's injuries. They had been in the state of California visiting relatives and friends, and were enroute home when the accident occurred.

Tom Purdy, Sr., of Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Purdy and family visited on Tuesday evening in the John Gerken home.

Mrs. George Roark and children visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Larimore of Windsor, from Wednesday to Sunday of last week.

Miss Gertrude Lockard is in Jefferson county this week where she is teaching a B. T. U. course.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eckhoff attended church services in Cole Camp Sunday and were dinner guests of Mrs. Anna Gerken.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leat and Miss Ada Mary Huffine, all of Kansas City, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Boring.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Lumpe are parents of a daughter, born on Thursday morning, February 16. The baby weighed 8½ pounds and has been named Shirley Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Jones were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Newkirk, of Warsaw, Sunday.

Byard E. Hunter and son, Glen, of Green Ridge, were dinner guests last Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Berry.

Mrs. W. S. Thomas, of Sedalia, visited here Sunday afternoon and until train time on Monday morning, with her step mother, Mrs. N. L. Whisler.

Guests in the F. W. Schmedark home on Sunday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gerken, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wenig and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Opfer and family. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Schenewark's 60th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Guy C. Swearingin of Sweet Springs, spent the weekend here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Swearingin.

The intermediate grades of the Lincoln school, taught by Orville L. Bliss, moved back to the school building Monday morning. This part of the school had occupied the room in the rear part of the Community building since the opening of school following the Christmas holidays. They now occupy what was formerly used as an auditorium in the old part of the building. A hardwood floor has been laid in this room and it will be used as a study hall when the new building is completed.

Walter Scott, of Stover, was here Sunday to visit his wife and his mother, who remain quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Allison and Mrs. C. E. Reid, of Warrensburg, visited a brief time Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rewes, as they were en route to Camdenton, where the Allisons reside and where Mr. Allison teaches.

Miss Louise Brill, of North Kansas City, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Brill.

• Warsaw

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers, of Kansas City, spent the week end here with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blanchard.

Mrs. Nora Lay who has spent several weeks in Springfield returned to her home here last week.

Ralph Hogan who has been manager of the Warsaw Exchange, for the United Telephone Company for several years will be trahsferred the 1st of March to Herman, Mo. Mr. Earl Wright now manager of the Cole Camp Exchange will be transferred here to succeed Mr. Hogan.

Miss Mariam Freeman student at Central College, Fayette, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Freeman.

The Hogles Creek Farm Club and friends entertained with a miscellaneous shower and reception last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Ferguson in the Hogles Creek vicinity, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hubbs who were recently married. The club presented them with a set of dishes. Many other presents were received. Refreshments were served to 67 guests.

Mrs. Robert Calbert and children Bobby and Anna Catherine of Springfield spent from Thursday until Sunday here with Mrs. Anna Calbert, and family.

Members of the Warsaw Baptist church and friends entertained with a dinner Sunday in the dining room of the church, in honor of the birthday anniversary of the pastor, Rev. C. R. Stoner. The occasion was a surprise. He was presented with a large birthday cake topped with lighted candles and a miniature church house. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunt, of near Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. George Sulh and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sulh of Lincoln and Rev. J. H. Wagoner, pastor of the Methodist church, Mrs. Wagoner and son Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walthall of Cross Timbers spent Thursday here on business.

A Martha Washington Tea was given by the Trust and O[illegible] society of the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. E. Johnson. Mrs. C. R. Short dressed in Martha Washington costume, poured the tea. Favors and decorations were in keeping with Washington's birthday.

Thomas A. Freeman passed away at his home here February 21, 1939, at the age of 83 years. He was born in Bentonport, Iowa, March. 22, 1855, and moved to Benton county when but a youth. In his early life he was a farmer, later engaging in the mercantile business in Warsaw, but retiring some years ago on account of ill health.

He was married to Ida May Fritzinger, February 24, 1886. To this union 10 children were born, 5 girls and 5 boys, Robert Ross dying in infancy. These children with their mother survive, and all were present. Mrs. Grace Todd, Joplin; Mrs. Attie M. Close, Green Ridge; Mrs. Maggie Wingate, Lincoln, Neb.; Arnold C., Lexington; Elgin, Enid, Okla.; Thomas, Lincoln, Neb.; August R., Clinton; Mrs. Pearl Byrum, Marshall and Mrs. Beatrice Freund, Warsaw. Also survived by 15 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Funeral services were held at the home on Jackson street, Wednesday, February 22, at 2:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. J. H. Wagoner, pastor of the Methodist church, assisted by Mrs. Clyde McCarty and Mrs. J. H. Wagoner, who sang. "In The Garden" and "Rock of Ages." Pallbearers, were P. M. Teeters, M. M. Hammond, L. K. Lutman, A. T. Riddle, J. E. Brady and Clinton Taylor.

Joe Green, pharmacist at Jones Drug store was honored with a surprise dinner. Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock at Westview Tavern. Nineteen young people enjoyed the occasion. Decorations and favors were in keeping with Washington's birthday. Mr. Green leaves the 1st of March for West Plains, his home town, where he has accepted a position in a drug store.

Mrs. Lee Hurt and Mrs. K. N. Keefer were admitted to the Bothwell Hospital this week for medical treatment.

Gerald Blanchard, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Blanchard, a freshman at William Jewell college, Liberty, played a part in the oratorio "Elija" given by the William Jewell singers at the college Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard. Harold Tharp, Mrs. T. A. Reid and Miss Eleanor Phillips drove to Liberty for the program.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holley, Jr., and son, Gerald Neal, of Pleasant Hill, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson and also with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holly Sr.., of Fristoe.

A George Washington party was enjoyed by the McCormick Book club Monday evening at the home of Mrs. E. T. Robbins. Mrs. M. N. White and Miss Gladys Myers had charge of the entertainment. Mrs. Gene Boring and Mrs. J. M. Richardson, the refreshment committee, served lovely cake and brick ice cream to sixteen members.

• La Monte

(By Mrs. R. E. Kerby)

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hieronymus had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Craig and son, Hayden, of Longwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Funk, of Sedalia, and Mrs. A. W. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheeler, who recently went to Lebanon, Mo., where Mr. Wheeler is salesman for the Maltby Coffee Company, spent the week end here. Their daughter, Miss Rowena, who teaches at Lawson, Mo., was also a week end visitor.

Mrs. W. C. Westbrook, Mrs. Joe Belsha and Wallace Smiley, of Houstonia, visited in the H. H. Smiley home Sunday. Mrs. Smiley and son, Kenneth, accompanied them to Knob Noster Sunday afternoon where they visited Rebecca Brim.

J. G. Wharton has been confined to his home since Saturday at which time he suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. P. M. Wheeler, of northwest of town, returned to her home Saturday evening after several days visit with Mrs. Josephine Wheeler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton entertained with four tables of bridge at their home Thursday night the following: Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reynolds and daughters, Dorothy and Mary Louise, Mrs. Etta Reavis, Mrs. Lena Rogers, Bert Means and Kenneth Rogers.

Misses Blanche and Mary Anderson attended the funeral of Ferdinand McNutt near Manila.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wharton Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Irl Kuhlman of Concordia, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kirkman of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Craig and son, Calvert, Mrs. Mary Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wellman, visited in Kansas City Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Williams and family.

Miss Irene Smiley of Fortuna spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ficken entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffman, daughter and son, Mildred and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Smith and two children, all of Sedalia, Mrs. M. M. Ficken, Mrs. Anna Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahin, Henry Schlusing, Edward Schlusing, Misses Blanche and Mary Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCreedie and Shirley Mae Elwell, of Montserrat, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Hansbrough accompanied them to Sweet Springs where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blakely.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. McNutt, daughter, Mary Louise, and son, Glenn, of Martin City, visited from Friday evening until Saturday with Mrs. McNutt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Anderson, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Everett McNutt of Kansas City also visited at the Anderson home Friday evening.

Irwin and Orville Lehmer spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lehmer.

Mrs. Ray O'Dell was hostess to members of the Friendship Club Thursday afternoon.

Nicholas Sprinkle and Pete Siard, of Lexington, visited Sunday with Mrs. Maggie Sprinkle and the families of Francis and Eddie Sprinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Russell entertained with a birthday party Saturday night in honor of Mrs. Thomas Walburn of Sweet Springs, the following: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walburn, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Buchholz, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Martin, Miss Imogene Paul, of Sedalia, William Wingate, Sedalia, and Everett Wing, of Sweet Springs. Monopoly was the diversion of the evening after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. W. E. Walker, Mrs. B. F. Parker and Mrs. George Landes attended a meeting of the Garden Club at the home of Mrs. Ada Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Harris, Miss Mabel Harris and Mrs. Henry Brunsman were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Harris in Sedalia.

About sixteen dollars were cleared from the nickel supper and gift sale of the Christian church ladies Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swope and Earline Parsons went to Warrensburg Sunday where they attended a dinner honoring the forthy-third anniversary of Mrs. Swope's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Parsons at their home seven miles northwest of that place, Mrs. Swope's little nephew, Floyd B. Parsons, returned home with them for a week's visit.

The Nautilus Club met at the home of Mrs. Earl Davidson Thursday. The topic for discussion was "International Relations," with Mrs. S. A. Curry, Mrs. W. E. Walker and Mrs. F. R. Harris, presenting the program.

Mrs. Kathryn French, who has been employed in Warrensburg, spent the week end at her home here.

• Houstonia

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

Mr. and Mrs. George Strickler have returned to their home in Kansas City, Kas.

Talf Houchen, of Newhall, Calif., is visiting relatives in Houstonia.

The Junior B. T. U. and Epworth League Juniors were entertained at the Stone home. Sponsors are Mrs. J. H. Stone, Mrs. James A. Newsom and Mrs. George Williams. The Senior B. T. U. with the Senior Epworth League members were entertained at a party at the Baptist church. Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. O. A. Milliken and Rev. Sullens were sponsors.

Hubert King and sister, Helen of Kansas City, visited relatives for a few days.

A number of relatives and friends assembled at the home of John Schondelmier in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Schouten. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pauley, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Haggard, sons Ray and Bob, daughter, Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. Price Hayworth, Miss Ethel and Miss Bernice Shull, John Killian, Ralph Pauley, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Koelling and son, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gregory, sons, Marion and J. D., Mrs. Vaille and family, Mrs. S. L. Yokeley, Mrs. Bert Brown, Mrs. B. T. Schondelmier, son, Richard ,and daughter, Loyce, Mr. and Mrs. Rife, Mr. and Mrs. Cummings and son, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reed, John Schondelmier, Mr. and Mrs. Schouten and son.

Rev. E. B. Brown spent a few days in St. Louis.

Miss Henrietta Smith entertained her regular bridge club and a few guests Saturday afternoon. High score trophy went to Mrs. Jack Morris, traveling award to Mrs. Frank Martin. The hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Ocie Smith, served a two course luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lockney and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Lockney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Trelow and family, of near Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis and family were Sunday guests of relatives near La Monte.

John Cashman and Copsy Higgins, of Kansas City, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Richard Cashman has returned from Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Williams had as Sunday guests their son, Harold Williams, of Kansas City.

Raymond Lockney of Kansas City spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Westbrook and son, of Marshall, visited Mr. Westbrook's mother, Mrs. Belle Westbrook, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butts and daughter, Mary Helen Herring, Mr. and Mrs. John Butts and sons were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Glass in Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter and family had as guests last week relatives from Kansas.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lockney Sunday were Raymond Lockney, Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Beck, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Sidwell, Sweet Springs.

Mrs. Leland Tuck has returned from a visit with relatives in Kansas City and Jefferson City.

The women of the Baptist church met Wednesday at the church and had a devotional led by Mrs. C. L. Parkhurst. Thursday the Aid Society had an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Price Hayworth.

Mrs. Chas. Kirklin and sons, Paul and Odell, of Sabetha, Kas., visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Witcher, and went on to St. Louis to visit their sons and brother, Glenn Kirklin and Mrs. Kirklin.

The Houstonia Women's club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. O. A. Milliken. Mrs. C. F. Wicker, president, was in charge of the business session. The legislative committee, Mrs. J. W. Rissler, was in charge of the program. J. E. Smith, probate judge of Sedalia, was the guest speaker. Mrs. Russell Wicker was also on the program for a talk.

Harlin Hoffman was elected president of the Houstonia 4-H Beef Calf club, recently organized. Other officers are: Vice-president, Raymond Killion; secretary and treasurer, William Schondelmier; reporter, Noah Killion; club leader, Elwin Killion.

Rev. E. B. Brown addressed the high school assembly Wednesday on the four-fold life, religious, mental, physical and social.

Members of the Hardtime club surprised Mrs. Amos Hhinehart, at a party at her home Friday, on the occasion of her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Janisch have moved from their farm here to a place near Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Abe Norfleet and family have taken the place vacated by the Janisch family. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carlin and family have moved to La Monte.

The swallowlike swift is the fastest of all birds, being able to outdistance an airplane flying 100 miles an hour.

Sweet Springs

(By Mrs. Waldo Andrew)

Miss Maxine Clough, a student nurse in Research hospital in Kansas City, spent the weekend with her uncle, E. J. Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reavis, of Kansas City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Tisdale Sunday. Wade Hampton Tisdale, of Boonville, visited his parents that evening after taking his wife of Kansas City, to join her mother, Mrs. J. W. Neeley, of Nashville, Tenn., on a trip to California.

Walter Schmidle, office manager of the International Shoe factory here, was called to Washington, Mo., Tuesday, by the illness and death of his father.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Ringen spent Sunday with relatives at Florence, Mo.

Mrs. Rose Harrison and her brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Poole Harrison, of Chicago, are visiting in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson and daughters, Nancy and Catherine, and Mrs. Mollie Alford spent the weekend at Perry, Mo., with relatives.

Mrs. Howard Reavis and daughters, Martha and Caroline, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Weaver, at Hickman Mills.

Dr. A. E. Gove returned Saturday from Oklahoma City, where he visited his son, David Gove, and Mrs. Gove. His wife returned the same day from Slater, where she had visited her daughter, Mrs. John Elliott and family.

Circle No. 2 of the Christian church met with Mrs. M. D. Parsons Tuesday. Mrs. Lester Turner was assisting hostess. Refreshments were served following the business meeting and program.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid society met at the church Monday afternoon, with Mrs. O. H. Witcher, Mrs. Paul Wylie, Mrs. Mary Alpers, Mrs. Ed Dankenbring and Mrs. Ben Bruns, hostesses.

The Business and Professional Women's club had a dinner at the high school in the home economics rooms Thursday evening, with Misses Helen Parsons, Dollie Andrew and Ruth Schuetz as hostesses. Mrs. Howard Reavis conducted the business session. Afterward a spelling match was enjoyed.

The funeral of Edward Schweer was held at the Lutheran church Friday afternoon by Rev. M. Senne, pastor. Mr. Schweer formerly lived here but moved to Kansas City about two years ago. He died at the General hospital there after a long illness. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Doris Stuerke; two daughters, Mrs. Everette McCullom and Mrs. Preston McCullom; also two sons, Raymond and Ralph, all of Kansas City. He was 62 years old. Music for the services was by Mrs. Paul Wylie, Miss Hulda Renken, E. L. Fisher and Ed Dankenbring, with Mrs. Christine Kudder at the organ. Pallbearers were Harry Eckhoff, Elmer Kroeschen, Edwin Eckhoff, Rudolph Fangman, Raymond Hartman and Alfred Hartman.

Postmaster H. F. Nelson and A. F. O'Sell, superintendent of the shoe factory, have both been ill and away from their duties, but are improved now.

Mr. and Mrs. William Andrew went to Warsaw Sunday.

Mrs. Bess Rowland, of Amarillo, Tex., is here visiting her mother, Mrs. F. G. Nelson.

Miss Julia Pelot spent several days last week in Kansas City.

At a meeting of the chamber of commerce at the city hall Tuesday evening the following officers were elected: A. E. Stuerke, president; Victor Gill, vice-president; Ray Walhausen, secretary; E. L. Fisher, treasurer. Plans were discussed relative to the development of the new city park to be located on Spring street, the ground for which was recently acquired by the city from the Owen estate.

Mrs. Paul Wylie, assisted by Miss Harvey House, was hostess to the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. W. E. Wylie had charge of the business period and Mrs. C. A. Jackson the devotionals. Refreshments were served.

Circle No. 1 of the Christian church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Stuerke, witha Mrs. E. J. Reynolds, the assisting hostess. Mrs. A. F. G'Sell had charge of the business and Mrs. Howard Reavis of the devotional.

Mrs. J. T.. Littlejohn and daughter, Miss Floy Hopkins, of Higginsville, visited here Saturday.

Schedule of Week For The Health Nurse

The schedule of Miss Elizabeth Guy, public health nurse, for the week follows:

Monday — Green Ridge community.

Tuesday—Sedalia.

Wednesday — Dresden and La Monte.

Thursday — Houstonia and Hughesville.

Friday—Sedalia. Syphilis clinic at Salvation Army Temple. P. T. A. meeting at Striped College in evening.

Saturday—School health demonstration meeting at Carrollton, Mo.

• Versailles

(Mrs. Birtle Huff)

Mrs. C. Norman Reusser of Kansas City is spending the week in Versailles with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kavanaugh. Mr. Kavanaugh is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bennett spent Wednesday in Jefferson City.

Rev. and Mrs. L. G. Christian and daughter, Bonnie Bee, were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Baker.

Miss Helen Hulett of St. Luke's hospital in Kansas City, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and friends in Versailles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earp entertained Saturday evening in honor of their nephew, Claud Huard's 17th birthday. The guests were Charlotte Smoyer, Beth Harrison, Eleanor Todd, Ann Earp, Betty Sue Hieneman, Glenna Bromley, Betty Lee Wilson, Billy Bolinger, Bob Robinson, Sam Bob McDonough, Joe Durham and Claude Huard. Delicious brick ice cream and angel food cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ernest and Mr. and Mrs. Estell Comstock spent Thursday in Boonville, where Mrs. Comstock went to St. Joseph's hospital for consultation.

Mrs. Hannah Bradshaw of Barnett, spent the day Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Earp.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Potzman and son, Billy of St. Louis spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. P. G. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Birtle were in Tuscumbia Thursday on business.

The Senior Girl Scouts met in the scout rooms February 20th with the scoutmaster, Mrs. Loren Washburn. She told the girls many interesting facts regarding colors and color combinations, the color wheel, etc. The girls plan to take up weaving soon and for the next meeting each member is to write a paper on what she learned when the troop visited the weaving rooms.

C. W. Kavanaugh is critically ill at his home in the Caine apartments, suffering with high blood pressure and other complications. He has been ill since last Saturday. Mr. Kavanaugh has suffered from high blood pressure for several years.

William Ross, young son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Hunter, was bitten Monday by a dog belonging to the J. G. Wittens. The Chinese Chow dog was guarding a new bone and as William Ross and his dog passed him, the dog bit young Hunter. It is believed he suffered no ill effect.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nichols have as their guest, Mrs. Nichols' father, Wm. Roberts of Harrisonville.

Will F. Berry, Jr., local attorney who was admitted to the bar several months ago, has opened an office here.

A very impressive service was observed in the St. Paul's Lutheran church in Sedalia, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, February 19th, when the Rev. H. H. Heidbreder united in marriage Frances Virginia Petty and Rufus Harms. The service, including the single ring ceremony, was performed in the presence of members of the immediate families. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Petty of Versailles. Mr. Harms is the son of Mrs. Cathryn Harms of Cole Camp. Miss Petty is a talented young lady, a graduate of the Versailles high school. Mr. Harms is a progressive business man, well known, and he is associated with the Versailles Motor Co., Inc., and is secretary-treasurer of the organization. They will make their home in Versailles.

William B. Todd who has been identified with the Ford automotive repair and agency business in Versailles for the past 20 years, this week completed the purchase of a garage in California, Mo., taking over management of the business Tuesday.

A fire damaged the M. L. Joachini store Sunday afternoon. The damage to items in the grocery department, by smoke, will probably run into several hundreds of dollars. The fire broke out in two places at the same time, about the flue on the east side of the building and in a small unusued basement on the west Joachini's store has been in the same location for over fifty years and this is the first fire threat it has had in that period of time.

Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shick, 1401 East Fourth street, are the parents of a daughter born Thursday morning at their home. The infant, who weighed 8½ pounds at birth, has been named Margaret Sue.

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• Knob Noster

Miss Ruth McCune, of Sedalia, spent the week end here with Miss Mildred Morris.

The Junior class play, "People Are Funny," under the direction of Miss Charlotte Reidenbach, class sponsor, was given in the city hall building Friday evening. Those in the cast were Elizabeth Brim, Ralph Berry, Josephine Lay, Pauline Currier, Bobby Croll, Ted Fisher, Annabelle Sterling, Ray Kelly, Alice Berry, Mildred Vogler, Mary Alice Grove, Vivian Chalfant, Frances Beatty and Sonny Elwell. Several numbers were presented between acts. A trio composed of Dorothy Mae Millikan and Mary Nutt, and a hill-billy band composed of Doris Henderson, Raymond Moore, Ruby Emig, Marion Sibert, Mary Louise Williams, Florence Reedy, orman Norman and Cloyd Boyd offered them. Mary Alice Grove was stage manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coats gave a dinner at their home Sunday honoring their son, Walter Coats and Mrs. Coats, formerly Marguerite Seigfried, who were married Saturday in Sedalia. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seigfried, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wharton and son, Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Seigfried and children, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Thompson, George Seigfried, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chalfant and daughter, Vivian, Mrs. Blanche Cooper, Mrs. Alice Denton, Mrs. Mary Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reynolds and daughter, Edna Jean of Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neighbors and son, Spencer, visited Mr. Neighbors' mother, Mrs. Mary F. Neighbors in Warrensburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Brooks and Miss Maggie Gracy of Leeton, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson at their home here Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Max Ream were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bohannon in Windsor Friday evening. Following the repast the four made a trip to Kansas City for the evening.

A turkey dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hume north of town by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Al Cox and Albert Cox of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rogers of Marshall, Mrs. Dorothy Gregory of Manhattan, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Paul of south of town, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bailey and daughter, Doris, and Miss Maybelle Jenks.

Charles W. Judd, aged 77, died at the home of his son, Frank Judd, of Burtville, Sunday morning. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Oak Hill church, in charge of Elder John Nutt. Burial was in the Ellis cemetery seven miles southwest of Knob Noster. Mr. Judd leaves two sons, Frank Judd, of Burtville, and James Judd of northwest of town. Mrs. Judd died several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Zuber and daughter, Zuzanne, of Emporia, Kas., enjoyed the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Zuber.

Miss Patricia Peithman, a student at Missouri Valley college in Marshall, spent from Friday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Peithman. Miss Mary Lee Bagby was a dinner guest in the Peithman home Sunday.

J. P. Gray and Wyatt East, of south of Calhoun visited W. W. Moore Sunday evening.

Arthur Johnson of St. Louis came Saturday to join his wife who had been ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Gillum. They returned to their home Sunday afternoon and were accompanied by Mrs. Johnson's sister, Miss Eleanor Gillum, who will visit them for several weeks.

Otto McDaniel who has been very ill with pneumonia at his home east of town, is reported to be improving.

Council of Parent Teachers To Meet

The Sedalia Council of the Parent Teachers Association will meet Wednesday, March 1, at 2:00 o'clock at the public library.

Mrs. Mary Ellis will give a talk.

Mrs. C. E. Van Horn will conduct a study class on Parliamentary Proceedings.

All members are asked to attend.

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• Otterville

(By Mrs. T. R. Cranmer)

Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Snapp, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Golladay, attended the third quarterly conference at Glensted Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McClure had as dinner guests Sunday, their daughter, Mrs. John R. Sims, Mr. Sims and his mother, Mrs. J. N. Sims, of Blackwater, and Mr. McClure's sister, Mrs. Albert Owens and Mr. Owens, of Sedalia.

Mrs. Martha Everett, accompanied by her daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Walter Williams and Mr. Williams, returned to her home last Friday after a two months visit with them at St. Louis. Mr. Williams returned to St. Louis Sunday, but Mrs. Williams remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haggard, of near Sedalia, spent Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. T. Edwin Wherley and Mr. Wherley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Manning and daughter, Miss Anna Belle, and Arthur Snyder spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reavis and son, William Roy, at Independence.

Dr. E. F. Yancey, of Sedalia, was a Sunday guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Streit.

Mrs. T. E. Wherley, Mrs. W. L. Layne and Mrs. J. E. Golladay attended a meeting of the Helen G. Steele Music Club at Sedalia Wednesday.

George W. Harlan received a message apprising him of the death of his sister, Miss Annie Harlan, who passed away at her home at Danville, Ky., after an illness of several years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wherley had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shannon and two children, Gwinn and Marietta, of Sedalia, Mrs. Shannon's mother, Mrs. Mary Norris, returned to Sedalia with them after a week's visit in the Wherley home.

Miss Catherine Donohue, of Boonville, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Walter Anthony, and Mr. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dahler and son, John Spillers, of Wichita, Kas., came Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Pauline Spillers. Mr. Dahler left Tuesday for Glendale, Calif., where they will reside. Mrs. Dahler and son remainded for a longer visit.

Mrs. Kate Burnett and daughter, Miss Emogene, returned Saturday from a two month's visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. David Grove, at Winston, Mo.

Mrs. Lewis Zumsteg fractured her left arm Thursday in a fall.

Owen L. Cranmer of Kansas City, visited from Friday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cranmer.

Otterville schools reopened Monday after being closed a week due to "flu" and colds.

Henry Zumsteg returned to Kansas City Monday after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Frank Zumsteg.

J. H. Gunn, the banker, has been ill with an attack of "flu."

Mrs. J. H. Goddard substituted Monday and Tuesday as teacher in the school for Miss Nell Parsons, who was ill.

Mrs. E. L. Roseler is home from Jefferson City where she had been at the bedside of her daughter, Miss Bernice, who has been critically ill.

Mrs. L. F. Parker and two children visited relatives the past week in Bunceton.

Mrs. Noland Howard of Kansas City, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hopkins, who have been ill as a result of "flu."

Marvin Moore, of Fulton, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davis, of Arkansas City, Kas., visited her brother, Robert Murray, the past week.

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Technician Wins Flamingo Stakes For "Herb" Woolf

Now A Kentucky Derby Favorite For This Year

Major Austin Taylor's Whichcee Scored Upset San Antonia Handicap

By GAYLE TALBOT.

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 25—(AP)—Technician, like Lawrin, a speedy son of Insco, probably assured himself the favorite's role in the Kentucky Derby when he outran and outgamed Volitant in the stretch to win the Flamingo stakes by a half-length at Hialeah Park today.

Running comfortably in second place until they hit the final furlong, Technician came on the outside under a hard hand-ride by Ira Hanford to catch Volitant, ridden by Don Meade, about 30 yards from the wire and then slide past him with seeming ease, to win by a half-length in front of the favorite.

The winner's time for the mile and a furlong was 1:50 1-5, well off the track record of 1:48 1-5 but fast enough considering a strong breeze the field faced on the back stretch. He started a favorite and paid only $5 for his victory. While Volitant, second in the betting, paid $3.70 to place. Volitant carried the silks of the Saratoga stable of George Bull and John Morris.

Mrs. Payne Whitney's Day Off took third, a length and a half behind Volitant and six good lengths in front of the fourth place Timeful. The others wound up in this order: Shambles, Chalmac, Easy Mon, Joharie and Get Off.

The victory was worth exactly $20,000 to Herbert M. Woolf, of Kansas City, jubilant owner of both Technician and Lawrin, which won the race last year and went on to capture the Kentucky Derby. With Technician's performance today, Trainer Ben Jones was more confident than ever of taking the three-year-old classic twice in succession.

A $10,000 Winner

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25—(AP)—Major Austin C. Taylor's Whichcee scored an upset victory in the $10,000 San Antonio handicap today as Sorteado and other favored candidates ran out of the money in the mile and one furlong race.

Neil McCarthy's 7-year-old horse, Today, which defeated Seabiscuit when he went lame last week, finished second, and Congressman, owned by Fred Turner, completed the route of the favorites by running third.

Seventeen horses went to the post in this last big test before the $100,000 handicap next Saturday.

Whichcee was timed in 1:49 2-5 and paid $13, $6 and $4. Today paid $5.40 and $4, and Congressman, a field entry $4.40.

Whichcee won by more than two lengths.

Ten Sport Events For Wentworth

LEXINGTON, Feb. 25 (Special—The Wentworth Military Academy enters into ten major spring sports events for the varsity team, according to an announcement given out by Captain Leon Ungles, director of athletics. Four of the events will be held at Lexington and six will be participated in off the campus.

The program includes the following events and dates:

March 18—Kemper Invitation, track and swimming at Boonville.

March 24—Conference Indoor Meet at Columbia.

April 1—Missouri Valley College at Lexington.

April 14—Kansas City, Kansas Junior College at Kansas City, Kas.

April 21—Moberly Junior College at Lexington.

April 28—C. B. C. and Missouri Valley, triangular at Marshall.

May 4th-5th—Junior College Conference track meet at Trenton.

May 12-13—Intrastate track, golf and tennis at Kemper, Boonville.

May 18—Kemper track, golf and tennis at Lexington.

Baseball's Centennial To Be Celebrated

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 25—(AP)—As part of the nationwide celebration of baseball's centennial, a unique baseball game between teams composed of players from every minor league in the country will be played at Cooperstown, N. Y., on July 9. That date has been set aside as "National Association Day," it was announced today by George M. Trautman of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues.

Trautman said that each of the minor leagues would be asked to select one outstanding player. This means 37 or 38 men will be available to take part in the all-star game, which will take place two days before the major leagues' all-star game at New York.

Versatile Ring Star Has Plenty Of Home Support

ATLANTA, Feb. 25.—Ben Brown, fast-rising Georgia middleweight, is one of 15 children. He has nine brothers and five sisters. In his prep days at Atlanta's Hoke Smith high school, Brown played quarterback in football, center on the basketball team and caught for the baseballers.

"Bud" Martin, Welterweight In A. A. U. Meet

Local Boxers Are Training Daily For Wichita Tourney

As the days grow nearer for the Central Missouri Golden Glove boxing team, sponsored by the Sedalia Democrat-Capital, to go to Wichita, Kansas., the harder a number of the glovers work to be in shape for the fights in the Missouri Valley A. A. U. tournament, March 6, 7 and 8th.

The latest entry to report and begin preparing to make the journey, is Raymond "Bud" Martin, welterweight, who desires to make the trip to the World's Fair in San Francisco as a member of the Missouri Valley A. A. U. championship team.

Martin, spent the past week putting his wind organs in condition, and this week will find him busy in the fire station gym sharpening up on his boxing. He will spend a great deal of time on the heavy punching bag getting his right and left arms in accurate shape to be prepared to toss plenty of leather at whatever opponent he will be placed against.

It is Martin's third year in amateur boxing, and this year he won the district championship in Sedalia, went to Kansas City, where he gave a beating to one of the welterweight favorites only to lose his second fight of the evening by a close margin.

He will not be alone in the gym this week, there being Denver "Buck" Miller, the flyweight champion; Dean Murray, bantamweight, who is replacing Cecil Landers, unable to make the trip; Henry Harker, featherweight, of the negro division and several others who will help the boys in training.

Coach Lawrence Englund will be assisted this week by Clarence Henley, well-known boxer who acted as assistant coach to Englund in the Tournament of Champions in Kansas City.

Plenty of time was spent with Miller and Murray the past week by Englund who reports they are in perfect condition to go to Kansas, and feels confident Miller will make a better showing than he did in Kansas City.

Murray is considered a threat to the bantamweight championship in Wichita. He won the novice championship in Kansas City.

Murray is considered a threat to the bantamweight championship in Wichita. He won the novice championship in Kansas City two weeks ago without any trouble, and those who saw him in action are firm believers he will cause plenty of trouble to the open entries in the Valley meet.

Coach Englund expects Albert McAlear, Kansas City heavyweight novice champion, and novice champion of the Sedalia district to join the team in the trip to Kansas.

McAlear was in Sedalia Friday night and expressed a desire to represent Central Missouri in the heavyweight division. He is six feet four and one-half inches tall and is now weighing 216 pounds. The young Marshall, Mo. boxer, told Coach Englund he never felt better to fight.

As yet "Aggie" McMillian of Kemper, champion of the middleweight division, has not received permission from the commandant of the military academy to enter into the tournament. However, if there is any possible chance for him to miss three days at the school, he will be with the Sedalia aggregation.

Fishermen Can Start Polishing Up Rods

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25.—Missouri Fishermen can start polishing up their rods and reels.

The rainbow trout season in state parks will open March 1. Best fishing, the Missouri conservation commission reports, will be on the Bennet Spring, Roaring River and Montauk state park streams which have been well-stocked with state-produced trout.

M. U. Tigers Jayhawks Tie Big Six Title

Tigers Over Kansas State; Kansas U. Beats Sooners

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 25—(AP)—The Missouri University cage team defeated Kansas State, 46 to 37, tonight and set the stage for the most crucial game of a hectic conference basketball season, its final with the University of Kansas Thursday night.

Coach Phog Allen's Jayhawkers won the right to share starring honors with the Tigers in the "playoff" for the title, or at least a share in it, by dropping Oklahoma into second place with a 59 to 45 victory at Lawrence.

Kansas State met Missouri basket for basket throughout the first half and only a last-minute field goal by Substitute Clay Cooper gave the Tigers a one-point half-time lead—24 to 23.

Cooper, with 10 points, led the Tiger scorers.

The victory kept the Tiger conference record at home clean and gave them a first place tie with Kansas in the Big Six standings. Kansas and Missouri with six wins against three losses, lead Oklahoma by half a game.

LAWRENCE, Kas., Feb. 25—(AP)—Howard Engleman, sophomore cager, had a "night" in honor of the University of Kansas tonight, and the title defending Jayhawks rushed Oklahoma off the Big Six perch, 59 to 45.

Engleman crashed through with 27 points to break the Kansas scoring record established in 1906, by Forrest C. Allen, now the coach. Allen's mark was set when one player shot all the free throws.

The blond youth from Arkansas City performed before a crowd of 5,080 which jammed its way into the 3,500 seats of Hoch auditorium. Among the spectators were Alf M. Landon, Republican presidential nominee in 1936 and member of the University board of regents.

For the first ten minutes the highly mobile Oklahomans moved through the Kansas defense like rumors in the village square. In fact, the Jayhawk cause seemed hopeless when Forward Ralph Miller fell to the floor with a new injury to his knee at the end of the first five minutes and Oklahoma holding an 8 to 6 edge.

Four minutes later the Sooners were still ahead and Coach Allen began substituting in an effort to find a winning combination.

Oklahoma took time out at the end of 12 minutes and three new Kansans streaked on to the floor with their team still behind, 17 to 14. In less than a minute the Jayhawks took the lead, never to relinquish it.

The victory permitted Kansas to keep pace with Missouri at the top of the Big Six scramble. The two teams meet at Columbia March 2, while Oklahoma faces the task of winning both of its remaining road games to remain in the little picture.

Kansas State Loses Meet To Neb. 48-56

Ward Haylett K-State Harwin Dawson of The Cornhuskers Stars

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 25—(AP)—The Nebraska Cornhuskers won a Big Six indoor track dual meet over Kansas State by a 56 to 48 margin today, by taking the last event, the mile relay, after assuming but a three-point lead at the conclusion of all other events.

Ward Haylett's Kansas State squad maintained an advantage all the way through until the broad jump event when Nebraska's mentor, Ed Weir, called on Harwin Dawson, Big Six indoor broad jump champion, who has been out of competition all season, because of injuries, to keep Nebraska in the running.

Without preliminaries, Dawson took but one leap. The jump measured 22 feet, 6½ inches and a first to give the Huskers a 51 to 48 margin.

In the deciding event, another Big Six champion came through. He was Bob Simmons, conference indoor and outdoor quarter miler, who took the baton in the anchor position and sprinted the 440 yards in an official timing of 49.3 seconds. Simmons also won his favorite event earlier in the meet with a timing of 51.7 seconds.

Charles Mitchell of Kansas State provided two excellent performances as he won the mile and two-mile runs. He turned in a four-minute and 29 seconds mile.

Elmer Hackney won the heralded shot put event over Nebraska's Bob Mills as he tossed the weight 51 feet, six inches compared with Mills' throw of slightly over 49 feet.

Nebraska Takes Swim Meet

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 25—(AP)—Nebraska University's swimming team routed Kansas State, 56 to 28, here today, sweeping eight of the nine first places in the Big Six conference dual. Brown scored Kansas State's first in the 50-yard free style.

Marshall Meet Schnabel In K. C.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25.—(Special)—Hans Schnabel of Brooklyn, author of the German backbreaker hold, has been granted a return engagement with Everett Marshall, National Wrestling Association champion, in the main event of the Air Corps Reserve Officers mat card in the Municipal Auditorium, Kansas City, Missouri, next Thursday night, March 2nd.

The German lost to Marshall when he was disqualified for using his backbreaker, which consists of lifting his foe off the mat and slamming him into the corner ropes several times before dropping him to the mat. Their match was one of the most thrilling in Auditorium history and with Schnabel bent on revenge, the return bout may even surpass the original clash. The bout will be best two falls out of three to a finish under National Wrestling Association rules.

Heading the supporting card is the semiwindup between Roy Dunn, former Central State Oklahoma Teachers athlete who won the National collegiate championship three straight years and Jim McMillen, former world champion. Dunn was the collegiate champ in 1934-35 and 36 and represented the U. S. in the Olympic games in Berlin in 1936.

George Rigosky, former Russian Cossack, meets Joe Corbett, rough Boston heavyweight in a special event and Len Tocco, versatile Italian youngster, tackles Steve Kayak, former lumberjack, in another one-fall match. One more match will be added to the card, Promoter Kaufman said.

A meeting of the three commissioners of the Missouri Athletic Commission, of which Russell Murphy, of St. Louis, is chairman, Lee Brosnahan, of Kansas City, and Ben Harrison, of Springfield are members, at a meeting held in St. Louis Friday voted "No" on title bouts.

Peculiar as it may seem, the Commission has recognized no title bouts in Missouri on wrestling. It is the first ruling the Commission has made on "rassling" since it took on its new membership in August of 1937.

The action of the Commission Friday was brought about by the so-called wrestling champion in St. Louis the past week in which Louis Thesz, of St. Louis, "honest and truly" defeated Everett Marshall of La Junta, Colo., after two referees had themselves been knocked out in the more than an hour of roughhousing.

As a matter of fact the Commission declared it was not interested in the matter of championship at all, and from now on would no longer recognize any match as a "championship" contest

The edict of Chairman Murphy now places the status of wrestling matches in a more dignified bracket, that of being "exhibitions," not matches.

NOW comes the famous wrestling manager, Billy Sandow, who "handles" Mr. Marshall in business and from the ringside, who declared with emphasis that he would carry his protest of the championship direct to Col. Harry Landry, of the National Wrestling Association, an appeal from a decision last Thursday night that cost Marshall his "championship" title.

Be It Resolved: Otto "Whitey" Brexler, the referee, declares, "I'm going to stick to my decision." And who cares?

Now comes forth Lou Thesz, that he will fight Sandow's protest to the N. W. A., and so goes on a verbal battle, which no doubt will end with Thesz and Marshall meeting in a return "title" match, which won't be recognized in Missouri, so whose going to become which and why?

BUT why not recognize "title" matches in Missouri? After all, it is a great build-up to get the "cash" customers into the big building to see the grunt and groaners do their stuff, and if it's a championship they want to see, let 'em see it.

The St. Louis gate in this so-called argument match drew, according to the reports, $19,021.80, from which the State of Missouri gets a five per cent take. Therefore, it should be "title" matches if the public desires to see them.

After all, what difference does it make? They have been having them for the past ten years and no one "cried," until Sandow's protege, Marshall, lost, and then the ruling was made.

Let's make them all "championship" and let the grunt and groaners have at it. Maybe we can switch the old so-called "title" around a bit and let the youngsters keep it a day or so.

Why run the "title" matches over in Illinois and Kansas? Let's keep them in Missouri.

THE quietness of Dizzy Dean, former Cardinal pitcher, now on the staff of the Chicago Cubs, has the National League managers worried. Here-to-fore the razz-berries could be delivered to the mound hurler, because of the remarks put out by his "press representatives," but now his being so cool and collected, and his failure to "pop-off" has them wondering just what he will do this year.

It's a fact Diz had 'em worried a year or two ago, and he very quietly claims he is going to be a little more than a worry this season—but he isn't bragging yet.

IT was satisfying to former University of Missouri students over the results of Friday's dual track meet with Kansas at Columbia, when the Tigermen came romping through to win, 66 to 38, in the twenty-ninth renewal of the Tiger-Jayhawk indoor duel meet.

John Munski, Missouri's ace distance runner, clipped off three seconds of his 1938 record by running the mile in 4:19.1 and breaking the tape 100 yards ahead of his closest opponent. His previous record was 4:22.1.

SPEAKING of track meets. Smith-Cotton is assembling a real team under the leadership of Coach Jimmy Obermiller, who has been working the boys over the past few weeks on the cinder track at the high school.

The Tiger team of the high school should turn in a fairly good season this spring.

Cuningham Runs His 4th A. A. U. Title

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—Glenn Cunningham, still the miler without a master, switched to 1,500 meters tonight and made it the occasion for his fourth national A. A. U. indoor championship at that distance. Cheered on by a crowd of 14,000 in Madison Square Garden, the peerless Kansan trimmed Gene Venzke by six yards in 3 minutes, 54.6 seconds.

Smith-Cotton Loses To M. M. A. 32 to 14

The Missouri Military Academy at Mexico, playing the part of host to the Smith-Cotton Tigers, gave the local boys a lesson in basketball Saturday night by defeating them, 32 to 14.

Davenport's quintet was unable to cope with the military boys who skimmed across the slick floor with ease and appeared to make the baskets readily while the Tigermen missed twice as many shots as their opponents had.

It appeared as if the backboards moved with the Sedalia forwards when they would endeavor to take a shot, besides lacking the necessary team cooperation.

At the first quarter it was 8 to 2. M. M. A.; 15 to 6 at the end of the half, while the last half of the game seventeen points were gathered in by M. M. A. while the Tigers sought out eight.

Billiard Tourney Led By Bozeman

CHICAGO, Feb. 25—(AP)—Youth continues to set the pace in the national three cushion billiards tournament, with Joe Chamaco of New York and Jay Bozeman, representing Chicago, well in front of the eight other experts in the field now engaged in a round robin series which will continue through April 14.

Chamaco has won 26 out of 32 games, with Bozeman victorious in 25 of 35 starts. They are the youngest players in the tourney.

The standings:

	W	L	High Run	Best Game
Joe Chamaco	26	6	9	33
Jay Bozeman	25	11	11	29
Art Thurnblad	12	10	9	32
Johnny Layton	17	15	11	33
Frank Scoville	16	16	9	34
Tiff Denton	18	18	10	41
Allen Hall	16	18	13	32
Otto Reiselt	14	20	13	31
Clarence Jackson	10	18	13	42
Charles McCourt	6	28	8	38

Dick Metz Has 4 Under-Par For Golf Lead

The Chicagoian Shoots a 68 For First Round In Thomasville Open

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Feb. 25—(AP)—Dark-haired Dick Metz, Kansas-born professional golfing ace from Chicago, shot a par-shattering 68 to take the first round lead today in the $3,000 Thomasville open tournament.

Metz was one of nine players to crack par over the rain-soaked Glen Arven course. His four under standard figures gave him a one-stroke lead going into the final 36 holes tomorrow.

Another Chicago sharp-shooter, John Bulla, set the pace for most of the day with an opening 69 and tall Henry Picard of Hershey, Pa., winner of the big New Orleans open purse last week, came in late with a great finish to equal that figure. Picard finished in the rain with two birdies and an eagle on the last four holes.

Fifteen players were par or better, with the field congested with big names near the forefront for the finis tomorrow Eleven others had 74s or better to remain within striking distance of the $700 top prize among the professionals.

Deadlocked with 71s were Mike Murra, Wichita, Kas.; Ky Laffoon, Chicago; Tony Penna, Dayton, Ohio; Leo Walper, Washington, D. C.; Paul Runyan, White Plains, N. Y., and Horton Smith, Oak Park, Ill. A stroke back at even par 72 were Lloyd Mangum, Los Angeles; Harry Nettlebladt, Framingham, Mass.; Clayton Heafner, Greensboro, N. C.; Byron Nelson, Reading, Pa.; Sammy Sneed, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and Vic Ghezzi, Deal, N. J.

Jimmy Thomson of Shawnee-On-Delaware, Pa., listed among the favorites, pulled a shoulder muscle in driving from the fourth tee and had to withdraw.

Charlie Yates, of Atlanta, the British amateur champion, who reeled off a nice 70 yesterday in a pro-amateur event, soared to 79 in the opening round of the open. Chick Harbert of Battle Creek, Mich., was the low amateur with a 76.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Feb. 25.—John Bulla, a dark horse entry from Chicago, startled his fellow professionals here today by turning in a sparkling 69, three under par, to grab the lead among the early finishers in the first 18-hole round of the fourth annual $3,000 Thomasville open golf tournament.

Bulla negotiated the first nine holes at Glen Arven in 35, one under par, and clipped two more strokes off par for a 34 on the incoming nine.

Another Chicago professional, Ky Laffoon, was also among the low scorers with about twenty-five of the field of 93 golfers having come in. Laffoon and Mike Murra of Wichita, Kas., each had sub-par rounds of 71.

Lloyd Mangrum of Los Angeles and Harry Nettlebladt of Framingham, Mass., each shot par 72.

Missouri Beats Kansas 66-38

The University of Missouri defeated the University of Kansas in their twenty-ninth indoor track meet at Columbia Friday night by a point score of 66 to 38. The Missouri Tigers won eight first of the twelve events held.

There were five new meet records set by Don Bird, Kansas; John Munski, Missouri; Chester Friedland, of Kansas; Sol Schemitzwy of Missouri; and Paul Masoner of Kansas.

Results of the meet are as follows:

Two-mile run—Won by Burrus, Missouri; Rucker, Missouri, second; Ryan, Kansas, third. Time, 9 minutes, 53.7 seconds.

880-yard run—Won by Reeves, Missouri; Brown, Missouri, second; Klann, Kansas, third. Time, 1 minute, 59.2 seconds.

Pole vault—Won by Bird, Kansas; Crocker, Missouri, second; Bevan, Kansas, third. Height, 13 feet, 5¼ inches. (New meet record.)

Shot put—Won by Friedland, Kansas; Counsil, Missouri, second; Ewing, Missouri, third. Distance, 46 ft. 6¼ inches. (New meet record.)

440-yard dash—Won by Berg, Missouri; Cox, Kansas, second; Nabors, Missouri, third. Time, 52.8 seconds.

60-yard high hurdles—Won by Masoner, Kansas; Baldwin, Missouri, second; St. Dennis, Missouri, third. Time, 7.9 seconds.

Mile run—Won by Munski, Missouri; Klann, Kansas, second; Crane, Missouri, third. Time, 4 minutes, 19.1 seconds. (New meet record.)

60-yard dash—Won by Sklarz, Missouri; Mathes, Kansas, second; Klamm, Missouri, third. Time, 6.5 seconds.

High jump—Miller, Missouri and Hilton, Missouri, tied for first; Bird, Kansas, third. Height 5 ft., 10⅜ inches.

60-yard low hurdles—Won by Masoner, Kansas; Baldwin, Missouri, second; Sklarz, Missouri, third. Time, 7.1 seconds. (New meet record.)

Broad jump—Won by Schumitzky, Missouri; Slayton, Missouri, second; Klamm, Missouri, third. Distance 23 feet, 8 inches. (New meet record.)

Mile relay—Won by Kansas. Missouri was disqualified for foul in passing the baton. Time, 3 minutes, 34.5 seconds.

Basketball Results

At Columbia, Mo.: Missouri 46, Kansas State 37.

At Lawrence, Kas.: Kansas 59, Oklahoma 45.

At Lafayette, Ind.: Perdue 29, Michigan 28.

At Philadelphia: Pennsylvania 38, Harvard 35.

At Fayetteville, Ark.: University of Arkansas 66, Texas A. & M., College 38.

At Bloomington, Ind.: Indiana 49, Minnesota 37.

At New Haven: Georgetown 20, Yale 19.

At Annapolis: Army 46, Navy 32.

At Fulton, Mo.: Westminster 26, Tarkio 24.

At St. Louis: Missouri School of Mines 25, St. Louis University 24.

At Grinnell, Ia.: Grinnell 46, Washburn 35.

At Evanston: Northwestern 36, Illinois 34.

At Milwaukee: Marquette 58, Notre Dame 50.

At Dallas: Southern Methodist 41, Texas Christian 39.

At Austin: Texas 50, Rice 41.

At Des Moines: Drake 43, Creighton 35.

Wednesday Tourney Ping Pong Finals

In Second Rounds Sixteen Games Are Being Played

Eight games are to be played in the championship bracket and eight games in the consolation bracket in the City's first Ping Pong tournament, with the finals to come to a speeding close on Wednesday night, March 1, on the stage of the Smith-Cotton high school auditorium.

Already one game in the second rounds of the championship play has been reported, that of Forrest Heacock and Franklin Creagan in which Heacock took the larger number of games.

To date the following parrings in the second rounds of the championship flight are: E. M. Stafford vs. Tom Cloney III; Jack McLaughlin vs. Glenn White; Bill Fingland vs. Laddie Keens; Arthur Johnson vs. Dan Robinson.

In the consolation flight: "Potts" Brown vs. J. Z. Montgomery; Jimmy Obermiller vs. L. N. Bricken; Harold Yunker vs. John Joe McGrath; Joe Benson vs. Heber Hunt; Charles Van Dyne vs. Herb Studer; R. M. McNeil vs. Vic Scott; George Dugan, Jr., vs. Forrest Drake; Glen King vs. Pete Andrews.

As previously announced the champion of the tournament will receive a silver cup and ping pong equipment while the consolation winner will receive ping pong equipment.

Much interest is being displayed by Sedalians interested in ping pong but who did not enter into the tournament competition.

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D. A. R. Enjoy Candlelight Reminiscences

Mrs. W. E. Hurlbut Hostess At Tea This Afternoon

One of the outstanding social meetings of the Osage Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was the candlelight supper held Saturday night at the home of Mrs. A. L. Shortridge, 720 West Broadway.

The guest-of-honor for the evening was the Chapter's "Good Citizenship Girl," Miss Patricia Poundstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Poundstone.

Seated at the head table were Miss Nina Harris, present regent, and Mrs. D. T. Abell, Mrs. W. H. Powell, Miss Nettie Lamm, Mrs. Shortridge, Miss Harriet Guild, Mrs. A. M. Hoffman, Miss Susan Hurlbut, Mrs. George Bichsel, Mrs. C. B. Osborne and Miss Lura McCluney, former regents, all of whom served as hostesses, and Mrs. Frank Leach, state honorary historian for life.

The other members were seated at small tables placed in the dining and living rooms. They were dressed in Colonial or other period costumes, while each regent appeared in a style of dress worn during her regime.

Red, white and blue candles, and red flowers decorated the tables, and red, white and blue place cards completed the patriotic, colorful effect.

Following the 6 o'clock supper, the D. A. R. ritual was presided over by Miss Harris, the regent, and after its completion there was an impromptu program.

In keeping with the general theme, "Candlelight Memories,' each regent spoke, giving the highlights of her career, recalling both serious and humorous incidents.

A vocal solo, "My Days Have Been So Wondrous Free," by Francis Hopkinson, a composer of the Colonial period, was presented by Mrs. E. F. Yancey.

Miss Harris then presided over a welcoming ceremony for three new members from the Sedalia area, Mrs. Olive Penquite, Mrs. C. E. Scotten, of this city, and Mrs. J. E. Golladay of Otterville. At this time two out-of-town members were also admitted to the roll, Mrs. Claud Corum, of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Ann B. Carmack, of Bartlesville, Okla.

Both are former Missourians and are sisters of Mrs. George Bichsel. Mrs. Carmack plans to take up her residence here March 1.

Mrs. William Everette Hurlbut, Jr., will be hostess at a tea at her home, 220 West Seventh street, from three to five o'clock this afternoon.

Miss Annabelle Hugelman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hugelman, 312 South Sneed avenue, was hostess Saturday night at a "tacky" party, attended by a group of her high school friends.

A "bowery" atmosphere was carried out in the decorations for the informal party. Small tables, lighted by candles in bottles, were arranged through the rooms, and the guests gathered at the tables intermittently and later to be served refreshments.

During the evening the young couples danced, and there was a costume contest.

Miss Hugelman was assisted in entertaining by her mother and by her aunt, Mrs. Flossie Warren.

Mrs. J. M. Johannes has as her guest at her home, 1113 West Third street, her sister, Mrs. Frank B. Miner of Batavia, N. Y.

Mrs. Miner arrived here about two weeks ago and will remain for some time. The first of the week she and Mrs. Johannes will go to Kansas City where they will spend two or three days.

Mrs. Johannes' sister has been a frequent visitor in Sedalia.

Miss Barbara Botz, a student at Christian College, Columbia, is spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Botz, of West Fourth street.

Arthur McQuiddy, a student at the Kansas City Art Institute, is spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McQuiddy.

Miss Virginia Waddell, a student at St. Mary College, Leavenworth, Kas., arrived Friday night to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost Waddell.

"Bill" Pettyjohn, attending the University of Missouri, is home for the week end.

Circle one of the Sedalia Garden club met Friday at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. W. Knight, 706 West Seventh street, with Mrs. Edwin Heffernan, Mrs. J. E. Bohon and Mrs. Guy T. Callender as assisting hostess.

After luncheon Miss Lucy Bothwell presided over the business session.

At the close of the meeting a motion was passed to send a petition to the city council protesting the unsightly places by the highway entrances to the city.

An exhibit of flower containers was held, and Mrs. V. H. Winnberg was awarded the blue ribbon for the best specimen for antique glass, Mrs. Frank Leach received second and Miss Bothwell, third.

For the best modern vase, Miss Bothwell received first, Mrs. C. A. McNeil second and Mrs. E. H. Hildebrandt, third.

Mrs. F. K. Shaffer had charge of the program, which was under the direction of the roadside beautification committee. Mrs. Shaffer introduced Dr. J. E. Cannaday as guest speaker and he gave valuable advice to garden and flower lovers.

He said to spread field soil over the lawns at this time and to plant grass seed on that. He also asserted that grapevines should be pruned now.

Mrs. George Sneed read a short history of the West Sixteenth street project, and Mrs. R. R. Highleyman gave a most interesting account of her visit to the beautiful gardens in Florida this winter, describing especially the famous cypress garden at Lake Worth.

Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Henry Lay and Miss Lay of Warsaw, who were visiting Mrs. Knight, and the hostess' daughter, Miss Julia Knight.

Garden Circle No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. I. H. Reed, 1415 West Third street, Tuesday, February 28, at 1 o'clock p. m., for a dessert luncheon. Members are asked to bring their favorite glass flower containers, modern and antiques. They are also requested to bring their 1939 dues.

Circle No. 5, of the Sedalia Garden club, will meet at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, March 3, at the home of Mrs. E. E. Arnold, 412 East Sixth street. Mrs. W. R. Sterling and Mrs. H. A. Wade are assisting hostesses.

The program will be sponsored by the conservation committee.

The March exhibit will be forced bulbs, pips or shrubs.

The Fortnightly Book club will meet at 2:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, February 28, with Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, of 1419 West Fourth street. Response to roll call will be by quotations from Longfellow.

Mrs. Cord Holtzen, who observed her eighty-seventh birthday anniversary at her home, Fourteenth street and Marshall avenue, Thursday, was honor guest at a bountiful dinner.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mahnken, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knehans, Mrs. Walter Knehans and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. John Eken, Mrs. Herman Offenburger, Mrs. Arthur Rodgers and son, A. C., and Charles Holtzen.

Mrs. Holtzen, although advanced in years, is in good health and enjoyed the celebration very much.

Mrs. Austin Hurley

Who will review a recent book, one of the best-sellers of the year, at the Sorosis meeting Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Harve Terry

Will discuss "Books of Yesterday" on the "Book Review Day" program to be presented Monday afternoon at Sorosis.

Social Chairman

Mrs. Joe Quinn as social chairman of the Country Club during the months of February and March, with her committee, arranged the pre-lenten social events there.

To Take Trip

Miss Barbara Botz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Botz, 1300 West Fourth street, who is attending Christian college, Columbia, will be among about fifty girls of the school, who will take a trip east, leaving Columbia March 11.

The tour will take the girls to New York City, Washington, D. C., Niagara Falls, Virginia, and other interesting places.

Church Events

The Loyal Daughters of the Federated church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. S. Wright, 821 South Barrett avenue.

The Missionary Societies of Epworth church will meet at the church, Wednesday at 2:00 p. m.

The Foreign Society will have charge of the first hour's program.

A special feature of the program will be a song and scripture study service.

The members will please note this ends the second quarter, and all dues should be paid by March 15th, when reports are made.

Also please bring your Bibles to the meeting.

During the second hour the Home Society will present a St. Patrick's program.

All members are urged to be present.

The Willing Toilers class of Epworth church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schilb, 1104 East Broadway, Monday, February 27, at 7:30 p. m.

Members will place their offering in "cherry purses," given them by the president, Mrs. Schilb.

An attractive program is being arranged.

All members are cordially urged to be present.

Will Review Books At Sorosis Monday

"Book Review Day," is the title of the Sorosis program to be presented Monday afternoon at the Heard Memorial clubhouse by Mrs. Austin Hurley and Mrs. Harve Terry.

Mrs. Hurley will review a recent book and Mrs. Terry will discuss "Books of Yesterday."

Miss Etta Hurley, chairman of the History and Literature Department, is in charge of the program.

Mrs. Herbert Seifert to Repeat Book Review

Mrs. Herbert Seifert, who so capably reviewed "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," at Sorosis last week, will repeat the review at the public library at 7:30 o'clock Monday night. The public is welcome.

Oil Paintings By Miss Fults on Display

Oil paintings by Miss Ruth Fults, one of Sedalia's talented artists, will be on display in the east room of the public library, beginning today and through the week.

Friends of Miss Fults, as well as others interested in art, are invited to visit the display. There is no admission charge.

Miss Josephine Houchen Weds W. Vincel Paxton

W. Vincel Paxton, son of Mrs. W. S. Paxton, of Marshall, and Miss Josephine Houchen, daughter of Mrs. C. H. Houchen, Houstonia, were married at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor of the First Christian church, at his home on South Ohio avenue.

Officers Beulah Yancey Junior Music Club

They are, left to right, Miss Kay McMurdo, president; Miss Jean Rector, vice-president; Miss Dorothy Thomas, treasurer; Miss Dorothy Burger, secretary; Miss Iva Anna Hall, librarian.

Colonial Dames At Music Club Meeting

Top picture: Mrs. Frank S. Leach, Mrs. Harry H. Harnsberger, Mrs. E. V. Walker, Mrs. Henry Menefee, Mrs. M. P. Shy, Mrs. C. D. Osborne, Mrs. Leslie Layne, Mrs. Glenn Warren, Mrs. Nolan Bricken, Mrs. Ernest Gillespie. Seated, Mrs. J. E. Golladay, Mrs. George Bichsel.

Below: Miss Martha Redmond, Mrs. Lee Shannon, Mrs. A. G. Hausam, Mrs. Henry Loving, Mrs. Clayton O. Markham, Mrs. B. F. Boland. Seated, Mrs. Ed Callis, Mrs. W. L. Lewis.

"Happy" Moser Home For A Brief Visit

Miss Mildred "Happy" Moser, a member of the Rita Rio girls orchestra now playing an engagement in New York, surprised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Moser, 908 West Third street, Saturday by arriving for a three-days' visit.

The orchestra was not playing for a few days, thus giving the members time to visit their homes. Miss Mildred will return to New York Tuesday.

Had Birthday

Wilma Wagenknect, daughter of Mrs. Lawrence Wagenknect, Smithton, who entertained a number of friends on her eleventh birthday last Saturday.

Young Couple Tell of Their Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Parkhurst, Jr., well known young Sedalians, are telling their friends of their marriage which was celebrated on October 29, 1938 at Paola, Kas., the Rev. Johnson officiating.

The young couple made the trip there and return without revealing even to close friends their intentions and announcement of the nuptials comes as a surprise to many of their acquaintances.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Fitch, formerly being Miss Lucile Fitch, of 2107 West Broadway. She is a graduate of the class of 1935 in Smith-Cotton High school and Mr. Parkhurst a graduate in the class of 1936. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Parkhurst, his father being superintendent at Crown Hill cemetery.

They will make their home in Kansas City where he has employment in the Chevrolet plant.

Surprise Birthday Dinner at Florence

A surprise birthday dinner was given Sunday at Florence at the G. H. Henderson home in honor of Mr. Henderson's mother, Mrs. Sarah Henderson who was 78 years old February 22nd.

Relatives brought well filled baskets, and all enoyed a delicious dinner. The evening was spent in conversation and picture taking.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Van Hook and sons, James and Grover, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Howe and children, Phyllis Jean, Glen Dean and Michel Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rheinhart and little daughter, Barbara Ann, of Higginsville; Leslie Page, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison Howard and little daughter, Shirley Jo Ann, Mrs. Mary L. Howard, of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Henderson and daughters Geneva and Avis Ann, Mrs. Sarah Henderson of Florence.

Education Class Program

At the meeting of the Parent Education class of Broadway school at the home of Mrs. Phil Burford, Thursday afternoon, Mrs. M. E. Green was leader and read a chapter relative to "The School Child and His Playmates," which was followed by a general discussion. Mrs. Green asked each one relative to how some personality impressed them in childhood and the answers given were very interesting. Mrs. Ray Hatfield assisted Mrs. Burford in the serving of refreshments of cherry pie, ice cream and coffee.

Good Luck 4-H Club Is Formed

Eleven boys and two leaders met at E. C. Stevens', route 2, Sedalia, and organized the Good Luck 4-H Club.

The leaders are Rollie Thomas and E. C. Stevens. The officers were elected also:

President, Ralph Thomas; vice-president, Edwin Brown; secretary and treasurer, Victor Stevens; song leader, Ernest Stevens; reporter, Jack Baugh.

Other members are as follows: Otis Thomas, Elbert Van Dyke, Harold, Howard and Herbert Stevens, Roy Zeb Thomas.

All members repeated the pledge and agreed to plant certified seed corn.

The next meeting will be held at Mr. Thomas', April 7.

Chili Supper And Program Given

The Bethel Aid gave a chili supper at Smelser school southeast of Hughesville, Thursday night.

Entertainment was furnished by the boys chorus of Horace Mann school, Sedalia, and the Cramer Brothers of Hillview Farm, Hughesville.

Members of the chorus, directed by Miss Geraldine Teufel and accompanied by Miss Jessie Marie Trueman, were Gilbert Clark, Eugene Landon, Lloyd Elwood Keele, Billy Hubbard, Earl Whenry, Junior Yockey, Harry Wesley Cline, George Jonson, James Kahrs, Homer Goff, Charles Pheifer and Albert Lee Jonson.

Trueman and Junior Cramer played on the French harp, mandolin and guitar and sang several popular songs.

Both groups of musicians were encored by the audience.

Wed At Columbia

Mrs. Della Armstrong, 218 East Sixth street, announces the marriage of her sister, Mrs. Lela Homan, to J. W. Russell, which took place November 12, 1938, at Columbia.

They are now residing at 1302 South Osage avenue.

Wed Fifty-Six Years

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hays celebrated their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary at their home one mile south of Fortuna, Wednesday February 22.

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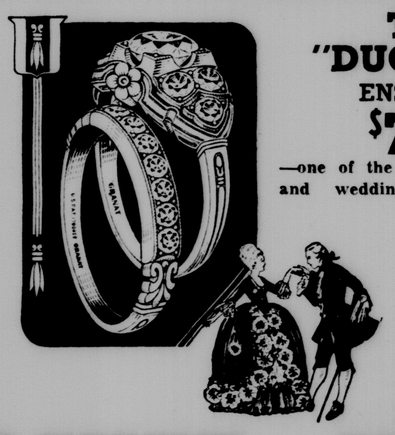

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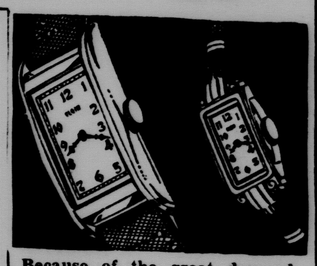

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• Personals

Mrs. Paul E. Wadleigh, of Windsor, left Friday night for Rolla, Mo., to live where Paul is a student in the Missouri School of Mines.

Mrs. Frank W. Stevens, 1019 West Seventh street, returned last week from Port Arthur, Tex., where she visited her mother, Mrs. W. B. Greenword, and a sister, Mrs. A. A. Gunter. Mrs. Stevens also visited relatives in Shreveport, La. and Texarkana, Tex.

Mrs. J. W. Kelley, 2010 East Sixth street, has returned from Neosho, Mo., where she visited with her two sons, Wilson and Paul Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Thistlethwaite, of St. Joseph, are weekend guests of Mr. Thistlethwaite's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thistlethwaite. Gerald, formarly with the Sedalia Capital, is now with the advertising department of the Standard Oil Company in St. Joseph.

Return to Homes After Klein Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. George Eads, and son, Bill, of Clovis, N. M., brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. B. R. Klein, 612 1-2 South Ohio avenue, have returned to their home after attending the funeral of Mr. Klein who died February 20.

Mrs. Klein's sister, Mrs. E. A. White and son, Bruce, of Hagerman, N. M., also called here by Mr. Klein's death will remain here with Mrs. Klein for another week before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ellis, of Springfield, were in Sedalia Wednesday to attend the funeral. Mr. Ellis was formedly with the Public Loan association of this city.

Called To Sister's Bedside

Mr. and Mrs. Tom O. Herrick, 2100 South Marvin avenue, were called to Warrensburg Friday night because of the illness of Mrs. Herrick's sister, Mrs. John Roundtree.

They returned home late that evening.

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MR. J. C. HILL

section most of his life. Everyday local people comment at the McFarland and Robinson Drug Co., 104 West Main Street, this city, of their pleasant experiences with this modern capsule remedy.

"Faulty elimination began my health problems," continued Mr. Hill, "It was several years ago when I began to have trouble with poor digestion. The foods I ate did not seem to do me any good and they would invariably cause me suffering. Rich or greasy foods were out of the question for they would upset me dreadfully. In fact it was hard for me to find foods that would agree with me. Dizzy spells often attacked me too, my sleep and rest was disturbed and I could see myself growing steadily worse. Then severe suffering began when pains developed and settled in my left arm and shoulder. The pain was so sharp and knife-like it rendered my hand almost useless at times. I was at a loss to know what to do as the medicines I had previously tried had failed to fit my case. But finally I learned of Krugon and of the surprising results it was giving others in this vicinity so I too began its use and today I am happy over what it has done for me."

"After thinking I was doomed to finish life suffering the way I did I am feeling fine again," continued by Hill, "KruGon soon relieved my constipation, eliminated those intestinal impurities and soon I was feeling the best I had in years. My digestion is fine and I relish every bite of my meals without any discomfort afterwards. I haven't an ache nor pain over my body today, my shoulder and arm is fine and I have its full use back again. Just think, I spent all kinds of money, traveled to different places seeking relief and then found the results I wanted in a remedy that was brought right home to me . . . KruGon."

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Obituaries

Mrs. Anna Burns McGinley

Mrs. Anna Burns McGinley, widow of the late Michael McGinley, died unexpectedly of heart trouble, at the family home, 625 West Fifth street, at 3 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mrs. McGinley had not been feeling well for some time, but Friday was up and around as usual. She retired about 10:30 o'clock that night and later complained of feeling ill. Her physician was summoned and she seemed to be better, for a time, then unexpectedly passed away. Her daughters, Miss Margaret McGinley, of the home and Mrs. C. J. McEniry, who had gone to the home when she became ill earlier in the night, and her son, Francis, were with her.

Another son, who also resides at the home, Burns McGinley, had gone to Joplin to attend the Democratic convention. He was reached by telephone and told of her passing, and returned home at once by train.

Mrs. McGinley was born in Terre Haute, Ind., October 5, 1863, and was reared in that city. She was married there to Mr. McGinley May 2, 1882, and came to Sedalia a young bride. Mr. McGinley, for many years a well known Sedalia grocer, had prepared a home for her at the Fifth street address, which had been remodeled at various times and her home continuously since her marriage.

Surviving are the following children: Miss Mary McGinley, Kansas City; Mrs. Helen McEniry, wife of C. J. McEniry; Francis McGinley, Sedalia; John McGinley, Detroit, Mich.; Burns McGinley and Miss Margaret McGinley, of the home. Two sons, Hugh and Leo McGinley, are deceased. She also leaves one sister, Miss Ella Burns, St. Louis and four grandchildren, Charles Burns McEniry, J. Robert McEniry, Miss Jane McEniry and Joe McEniry, all of Sedalia.

Miss Mary McGinley and Miss Jane McEniry, the latter a student at St. Mary College, Leavenworth, Kas., arrived in Sedalia Saturday morning and Miss Ella Burns arrived Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. McGinley was a devout member of Sacred Heart church and the Altar Society of that church. She was widely known and loved, not only for her personality, her hospitality to her friends in her home and her keen sense of humor, but for her ability to assist and comfort friends and acquaintances in time of sickness or sorrow. Few persons among her circle of friends but have had occasion to know of her kindness and unselfishness in assisting others when there was occasion.

Funeral services will be held at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock Monday morning, the pastor, Rev. Father Christian Daniel to officiate.

Pallbearers will be three grandsons of the deceased, Charles Burns, Robert and Joe McEniry, and John Joe McGrath, Frank Behen and Ray Dirck.

Interment will be in the family lot in Calvary cemetery.

Charles William Denny

Charles William Denny, pioneer resident of Pettis county, passed away Saturday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elias Arnett, in Green Ridge, with whom he has made his home since 1921.

Mr. Denny was born near St. Charles, Mo., the son of the late Raphael and Elizabeth Denny. He attended the schools in St. Charles and the finishing school at the Jones Mechanical College in St. Louis, where he later taught mathematics.

In 1872 he located on the Raphael Denny farm, southeast of Green Ridge. On March 10, 1886, he was married to Julia Rathbun at Smithton and to this union were born two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Ryan and Mrs. Elias Arnett, both of Green Ridge.

Also surviving is a half brother, R. V. Denny, of 1009 West Third street, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren, and two nephews and one niece.

Mrs. Denny passed away December 19, 1921.

Mr. Denny for twelve years served as county engineer of this county. He taught a Sunday school class at the McKee chapel and was a temperance lecturer throughout the county.

He was a charter member of the A. F. and A. M. lodge of Green Ridge, which organization will be in charge of the funeral services at the grave in the McKee chapel cemetery.

Funeral services will be conducted at the McKee chapel at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon by the Reverend Ralph Emerson Hurd. Music for the service will be in charge of a male quartet from Green Ridge, assisted by Mrs. L. B. Beach.

Pallbearers will be Donald Rayburn, Forrest Helman, Ernest Ryan, Herman Humes, Henry Baslee and Earl Arnett.

Funeral of Mrs. Hoke

Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Hoke, who died at her home 1206 South Moniteau avenue, Friday evening, will be held at 11 o'clock Monday morning at Gillespie's Funeral Home, Rev. J. C. English, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, to officiate.

A second service will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the M. E. South church in Wellington, Mo.

Interment will be at Wellington.

Mrs. Hoke, 92, died after a weeks illness of bronchial pneumonia. She was an invalid for the past five years and was unable to walk.

She was a member of the Southern Methodist Church and was born May 26,1846 near Warrenton in Warren County the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Moore and lived her entire life in the state of Missouri.

With her two sons, W. L. Hoke, of Sedalia and T. E. Hoke of LaMonte, who survive, she moved to Sedalia over twenty-five years ago where she remained the rest of her life. Her husband preceded her in death in 1905.

Funeral of Mrs. Drummeller

Mrs. Rosa Drummeller, wife of W. H. Drummeller, of Bartlesville, Okla., died Wednesday, February 22. She was a sister of John and Frank Hillen, Nelson, and Mrs. Finis Osborne, Marshall.

Funeral services were held in Marshall Saturday morning.

James Mayfield

Funeral services for James C. Mayfield, 78, who died at his home in Clarksburg Tuesday, were held at the Clarksburg Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. R. L. Hood, Baptist minister of California, officiating.

Pallbearers were Logan Vaughn, Charles Albin, Golder Winebrenner, George Redding, Dallas Winebrenner ad James E. Huff. Burial was in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery, north of Clarksburg.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Vaught Mayfield, a daughter, Mrs. Frank Bechel, two step-sons, Will and John Vaught, also two grandsons and two step grand-daughters.

Mr. Mayfield was born in Terre Haute, Ind., April 19, 1861, the son of William C. and Biddy Mayfield. He was married to Mrs. Mary Vaught March 7, 1900. He united with the Mt. Pleasant Baptist church in 1889.

Mrs. Alice May Swift

Mrs. Alice May Swift, 63 years old, wife of A. L. Swift, passed away at the family home, 709 East Thirteenth street, about 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon following an illness of more than nine months.

Mrs. Swift was born February 29, 1876 at Denison, Texas, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jefferson.

She was married June 29, 1895 to Mr. Swift who survives as do the following children: Mrs. V. H. Clough, Kansas City, Mrs. John Campbell of Frankfort, Mo., C. L. Swift, W. H. Swift and Mrs. Harry McMullin all of Sedalia. A sister, Mrs. O. V. Hoflander of Kansas City, Kans., also survives.

A son, Glenn Swift, passed away about three years ago.

Mrs. Swift was a member of the Epworth Methodist Episcopal church, and of the Maccabees.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Gillespie Funeral Home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon with the Reverend Ralph Emerson Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Episcopal church officiating.

Pallbearers will be friends of the family.

Burial will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Funeral of P. W. Jones

Funeral services for P. W. Jones, 92 years old, retired farmer, and father of Frank Jones of 920 South Missouri avenue, this city, who passed away at his home in California, Mo., Thursday night, were conducted at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the Baptist church at California.

Both the Baptist and Evangelical church ministers in California officiated.

Interment was in the Evangelical cemetery at California.

Mr. Jones, who died of a heart ailment, was born January 16, 1847, in Sussex county, N. J., and moved when he was 21 years old to California, where he lived the remainder of his life. His wife preceded him in death in 1916.

Funeral of J. W. Payne

The funeral for John W. Payne, pioneer resident of Pettis county, who passed away suddenly Friday morning, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Hopewell Chapel with the Reverend Sumners officiating.

Pallbearers will be six nephews of the deceased.

Interment will be in the Hopewell cemetery.

Samuel Schneider

Samuel Schneider, aged 89, a pioneer resident of the county died at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of his grandson, Lawrence Schneider, southeast of Sedalia, after a lingering illness.

Mr. Schneider was born in Ohio, and came to Pettis county when about fifteen years old. He had resided in the Abell neighborhood continuously since that time.

Surviving are the following children, Charles Schneider, Mrs. Robert Mosby, Mrs. Charles Feebeck, all living southeast of Sedalia, and James Schneider, of Sedalia. A son William Schneider is deceased.

Funeral services will be held at Pleasant Hill church at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Funeral of H. A. Pfunder

Funeral services for Henry Almon Pfunder, retired farmer, who passed away Friday morning, were held Saturday with short services at 11 o'clock in the morning at the Gillespie Funeral home and followed by services at the Hickory Hill church, 20 miles south of Jefferson City, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Reverend Quincy R. Wright, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, officiated at both services.

Friends who served as pallbearers were: Henry Blatterman, John McFatrich, R. F. Peterson, J. J. Lamm, Luther Landis and Earl Lugen.

Music was in charge of Mrs. C. D. Demand.

Daryl Lee Bouton

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Prewitt and daughter, Patty, 815 West Fifth street, returned Friday night from Lawrence, Kans., where they were called by the death of Mrs. Prewitt's nephew, Daryl Lee Bouton, three year and nine months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bouton, of Lawrence. Mr. Bouton is Mrs. Prewitt's twin brother.

The child became ill with pneumonia Tuesday and died Wednesday night. Funeral services were held Friday.

Daryl Lee, who has often visited in Sedalia, leaves his parents, three sisters, Sarah Ruth, Joan and Lois, and one brother, Eddie.

Mrs. Ellen Jose

Mrs. Ellen Jose, 83, died Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Finley, Nelson. A son, James Jose, died a few months ago.

Surviving are a son, Will Jose, and three daughters, Mrs. Finley, Mrs. John Dee and Mrs. Sam Gibson, the latter of Sturgeon, Mo.

Funerals of Two Killed

Funeral services for Earl Barr Spangenberg and Morton Fraley, both of near Lincoln, who were killed in a truck-train collision at Gibson City, Ill., Thursday evening, were held Saturday.

Both bodies arrived in Windsor Saturday morning. The funeral of Spangenberg was held at 11 o'clock that morning in the chapel of the Turner-Houston Funeral home, and burial was in the Harmony Baptist church burial ground.

The funeral of Morton Fraley was held at the Clear Creek Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Interment was in the cemetery there.

Spangenberg is a son of E. T. Spangenberg, of near Lincoln.

Hines Guilty In New York Policy Racket

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week from the bulging coffers of the racket for his services in allegedly corrupting police and magistrates, and took thousands more in tainted money for political campaigns.

Those charges the jury pondered for two minutes short of seven hours. Then, with such suddenness and completeness the small-voiced but always expressive Jimmy Hines said he felt as if he had "been kicked in the belly," the jury announced its stunning verdict.

The jury returned to the general sessions court room at 6:23 p. m. (CST) and declared Hines guilty on the first count in the indictment, a conspiracy count, and immediately declared for conviction of the succeeding 12 felony counts.

Sentencing March 13

Judge Charles Nott, Jr., set March 13 for sentencing and allowed Hines continued freedom until then under bail. The maximum sentence that could be imposed would be 27 years in prison —three years on the conspiracy count and two years on each of the felony charges.

Stryker said he would file an appeal as soon as possible.

Italians Will Return Home

PARIS, Feb. 25—(AP)—More than 1,200 of nearly 1,000,000 Italians living in continental France and the island department of Corsica answered today the Fascist government's first call for them to return to their homeland.

Italy's decision to repatriate her citizens was described as following the plan launched last November 17 to get back under the Italian flag as many as possible of the Italians living abroad.

French government officials accepted this reason.

Hospital No. 2 Notes

Elva Jones, of 113 Cooper street, who has been receiving medical treatment, is able to be up and about in her ward.

Riley Jones, who received a fractured right leg in an automobile wreck, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Christine Williams, of Tipton, who underwent a major operation Saturday, is in a critical condition.

Mike Shinceta, Roanoke, Va., who was given medical treatment was dismissed to leave for the east.

Favor Clark For Nominee For President

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think we ought to push that opportunity away."

Lack of reference by the resolutions committee to either Gov. Lloyd C. Stark or the state administration was noticeable.

A dozen or more resolutions submitted in addition to the one indorsing Clark were adopted without dissension. They included indorsement of the work of the Dies committee and of the policies of President Roosevelt.

Wright Is President

Harmony prevailed during the election of state officers, and a slate previously agreed upon in caucuses was elected by acclamation.

Marvin Wright of Salisbury became the new president. His only opponent, Dan M. Carr of Sedalia, withdrew. Mrs. Gladys Smart Branstetter of Fulton was elected vice-president; Miss Mary Cleeton of Milan, secretary, and David McCullan of St. Louis, the keynote speaker, treasurer.

The principal address was given by John Brett of Oklahoma City, United States district attorney. Others on the program in addition to Smith included Dwight H. Brown, secretary of state, and Dan N. Nee of Kansas City, collector of internal revenue. All three men have been mentioned frequently as potential candidates for governor in 1940.

Brett referred jokingly to the demonstration over the Clark resolution by pointing out that "it is a prerogative of Democrats to scrap among themselves."

In a serious vein, the attorney praised President Roosevelt as "the man to whom the people turned in their hour of need" and told the delegates "you should be proud of your party's record. There has been more constructive legislation during the last six years than in the 20 years prior to the Roosevelt administration."

New Drive To Free Germany Of The Jews

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belief.

Jewish representatives insisted at best it had been possible to obtain regular immigration visas or permits for England, Palestine and other places only at a rate of 3,000 monthly for all Germany.

Yet Berlin's Jewry alone, the Jews said, hereafter must send out 3,000 persons monthly aside from emigration from such centers as Vienna, Breslau, Frankfurt, Stuttgart, Dresden, Cologne and Hamburg.

But A Slim Clue As To Slayer

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utes later. But left when his knock at Anya's door was unanswered.

Partner In Search

Her partner in the skit was Wally Myar, 24, pianist and actor. When he did not find Anya backstage at 9 o'clock, Myar went outside to lock for her.

"I went out in front of the auditorium and stood there for a while," Maya told police. "Then I started to walk toward the street, about 9:20.

"Suddenly I saw someone staggering toward me. I recognized the figure as Anya. As she came closer, I saw her face was bloody. She was sick. I grabbed her.

"Nobody came to protect me—why didn't you come sooner,' she asked me. I asked her what happened and she said a man hit her over the head. She said someone asked her where she was going and as she turned something struck her."

Miss Sosoyeva died early today of skull fracture, without regaining consciousness. Physicians said she had been criminally attacked.

Accounting On Risk Funds

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R. Street and Hicks and Folonie, and requested affiant to indorse checks to Charles R. Street, then stating it was money which he was returning to or accounting to the companies for.

Unable To Give Amount

"None of such checks was payable to the trustees, neither affiant nor his law firm had any interest in said checks or proceeds thereof and affiant attached no importance to the circumstances and did not notice and cannot now state the amount of said checks, the makers or dates.

The accountants' report give the sole assets of the trustees February 11, 1937, as $120,620 in cash.

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Champion Pie Baker Is Home

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the contest for a year. Ruby did not learn until three and one half weeks ago that she was to take part. She stated she learned to bake pies in the club, for she was the youngest of six sisters at home and really did very little baking there.

Girl's First Train Ride

Accompanying Ruby to Chicago was Mrs. Claire L. Montgomery, county home demonstration agent, who with the assistant manager of the contest and his mother, accompanied Ruby on the trip to Washington, D. C. which trip with $100 in cash, was part of the award.

It was the young girl's first train ride. She traveled in a pullman car, stopped at first class hotels, rode over the cities in taxis, toured Washington in a limousine, stood for an hour and three-quarters for photographers, but with it all retained complete composure, enjoying every minute of it with a thrill that will last for years. Her skill in baking, with her poise and demeanor, reflected credit, not only on her parents who had encouraged her in club work, but the club leader, Mrs. Wm. Green and sponsor, Mrs. Orville Demand.

The contest was sponsored by the National Cherry Growers and Packers Association, sometimes known as "The Hatchet Club." Each girl and her chaperone were given a small sterling silver hatchet.

Peace Plea Is Made By President

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the new year" and he expresed hope Lewis and Green would soon give the names of the members of the peace committee. He added government assistance would be "gladly given" if it was wanted.

Few Reasons Given

The president gave four reasons why the two groups should end their differences:

First, because it is right.

Second, because the responsible officers of both groups "seem to me to be ready and capable" of making a negotiated and just peace.

"Third, because "your membership ardently desire peace and unity for the better ordering of their responcible life in the trade unions and in their communities."

Fourth, because the "government of the United States and the people of America believe it to be a wise and almost necessary step for the further development of the cooperation between free men in a democratic society such as ours."

The president said Secretary Perkins had informed him "there appear to be no insurmountable obstacles to peace and that in fact there is a real and honorable desire for unification of the labor movement among all parties concerned."

He said the National Manufacturers association recently had expressed a desire for a "better" understanding of the problems of labor relationships" and expressed willingness "to work with labor in a realistic effort to improve their mutual relations and to better general working conditions."

Spanish War's End Matter Of Hours

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said to have been decided at a cabinet meeting Friday and to have been messaged to Pablo Azcarate Y Florez, the ambassador to London.

Government Foreign Minister Julio Alvarez Del Vayo, conveyed it to Manuel Azana, government president, at the Spanish embassy in Paris. Azana recently has been an outspoken advocate of peace.

The report on the cabinet meeting which came from Madrid Friday said the ministers had discussed the capacity of their forces to resist further the superior Nationalist war machine.

Negotiations to follow the end of hostilities which have been virtually nonexistent since the fall of Barcelona January 26, it was understood, would be limited to fixing a means for Negrin and other government leaders to leave Spain.

Occupation Soon Follow

It was believed by Spanish government officials here that Nationalist occupation of the government zone embracing Madrid, Valencia, and Alicante would follow a few days after the armistice.

This central area, embracing one-fourth of Spain, was all the government had left after two years, seven months and one week of civil war.

From the beginning of the conflict in a revolt in Spanish Morocco, July 18, 1936, the war had been a succession of defeats for the embattled government forces.

The British government was believed to have agreed to pledge the performance of Franco's promise, because the generalissimo, true to his statements, has refused to treat directly with the government or to offer conditions for its surrender.

Azana, his aides said, would lease the Spanish embassy here Sunday afternoon, ending the last pretense to keeping his post as chief of the Spanish Republic.

He was expected to issue a proclamation explaining his work for peace and announcing his resignation.

The Spanish embassy is to be evacuated Monday night and Nationalist representatives are to move in Tuesday morning, it is said.

Spanish government representatives said the French and British governments had notified Alvarez Del Vayo their navies were ready to bring government leaders out of Spain.

The number seeking such evacuation was said to have been put by Alvarez Del Vayo at 10,000. This would include all government chiefs and army, labor union, political and party leaders with their families.

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Mary Morris

Eminent Authority on Funeral Service

This is one of a series of articles prepared by Mrs. Morris.

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• Green Ridge

(By Mrs. J. B. Myers)

The Mutual Improvement club met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Rains, south of town. In absence of the president, Mrs. Carl Johnson presided over the business meeting. The fine arts department was in charge of the program, "The Modern Etude Speaks." It follows:

Brief broadcasts by "Dorothy Thompson," Mrs. F. L. Calvert.

Musical contest, Mrs. Olin Rains.

"My Work Is Easy," "Ruth Silenschky," Mrs. Allen Kendrick.

"Old Pianos in New Settings," Gayle Kendrick.

"Brain Teasers," Mrs. L. B. Beach. Mrs. Rains was assisted by her daughter, Miss Alreta, in serving a dessert course.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Paige entertained the members and their families of the Junior M. I. C. with a chili supper Saturday evening. Liverpool rummy was played by the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, of the Owsley community, are parents of a daughter, born Tuesday at the home of her grandfather, R. E. Majors, at Windsor. The name Sarah Mae has been given the new arrival.

The "flu" epidemic, prevalent in the community, is subsiding.

Prof. F. W. Smithpeter, employed by the government at Mount Vernon, spent the weekend with his wife in Green Ridge. He was accompanied home by Miss Laura Reeves, who has been taking treatment at the sanit[illegible]n there for several weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Bull was honored Sunday by a group of her friends and neighbors, who gathered at her home to celebrate her birthday anniversary. At noon the following guests enjoyed a pot luck dinner: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beaman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Embree and family, Eldon Lee Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Lyle and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Bullard, Hugh Payne and Frank Ireland.

The name Jerry Wayne has been given the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herald Coffman, of Sedalia. The child was born at the home of Mrs. Coffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nicholson, in Green Ridge.

Mr. and M[illegible] T. J. Close attended the funeral of her father, Thomas A. Freeman, at Warsaw, Wednesday.

Miss Anna Lou Pace, teacher in Maple Grove school, is ill with "flu" at the home of her parents in Green Ridge. School there was closed last week.

William H. Ream returned Tuesday after spending a week with his brother, James Ream, of Wellington, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen visited the latter's sister, Mrs. George Young, and Mr. Young, of Calhoun, Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Hite entertained with bridge at their home Saturday night, sixteen guests being present. Suggestions of George Washington were carried out in serving refreshments. High score went to Miss Thelma Lancaster and Mrs. L. B. Beach.

A missionary meeting was held at the Baptist church Thursday night, talks being given by Rev. W. P. Arnold, of Sedalia; Dr. R. G. Leazer, of that city, and Dr. Drigger, of Kansas City. The women's conference was led by Mrs. Smito, of Springfield, and the children's conference by Rev. Nelson Reagan, of Bolivar. Special music was in charge of Mary Ann Sisk, of Springfield. Moving pictures of missionary work in Missouri were shown.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brown and granddaughter, Joyce Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown motored to Meadsville, Mo., for a visit over the weekend with their son and brother, Prof. Earl Brown and Mrs. Brown.

The Presbyterian church observed the "World Day of Prayer" with an all-day meeting at the church. Mrs. Arthur Ward was in charge of the program. Morning devotionals were given by Mrs. Henry Baslee and Mrs. William Weller, Jr. Miss Gayle Kendrick gave an article on "Peace." Dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was devoted to a talk by a home missionary, Miss Renford, of New Mexico.

Mrs. Harold Henton is quite ill of pneumonia at her home west of town.

F. N. Reid, Green Ridge, accompanied "Pete" O'Brien, of Sedalia, to Kansas City, where they attended an American Legion banquet.

Sea feathers, found in offshore waters from the Gulf of St. Lawrence to the Carolinas, actually are animals.

Mosby P. T. A. Had Program

Members of the Mosby school Parent-Teacher Association were assisted in presenting a program at the association's meeting on Thursday night. It was presided over by Mrs. P. G. Franklin, and was as follows:

"Our Founders," and "A Tribute," by the boys' choir of Horace Mann school, directed by Miss Geraldine Teufel, with Miss Jessie Mae Trueman, accompanist.

Reading, Mrs. Frank Van Dyke.

Music, Miss Jean Cramer, Miss Viola Moore and Mr. Galbreath.

Article from the P. T. A. magazine, Mrs. Leiter.

Three selections by the boys' choir.

Harmonica solo, Charles Hickam.

Music, Miss Viola Moore and Miss Jean Cramer.

Music, Kenneth Swope and John Dirck, from Bothwell school P. T. A.

Horace Mann boys' choir, with Miss Frances Meyer as soloist.

Play, "Getting the Evidence." Judge—Albert Moore; Lawyer—Carl Franklin; Witness—Charles Hickam.

Address on Founders of P. T. A., Mrs. G. O. Goodknight.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Green were present and Mrs. Green made a few remarks with reference to the educational conference to be held in Sedalia.

Kenneth Swope, of Bothwell school district, took pictures of the group.

Adjournment was followed by a social hour at which time refreshments were served by Mrs. Hickam and Mrs. Lawrence Schneider.

Dr. H. C. Lehman, of Ohio University, in analyzing the ages of sports champions, discovered that the best age for baseball is 28; amateur golf champions are from 25 to 29 and professionals between 30 and 34.

Retail Grocers To Meet On Monday Night

The membership of the Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers Association will meet in regular semi-monthly session at Hotel Bothwell Monday night at 8:00 o'clock. Several important business matters will be disposed of including arrangements for transportation to the Kansas City Food Show next month. A full attendance is desired.

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•Shops and Rails

Walter Wagner, president of the Boilermakers and J. E. Streby, chairman of that organization, are attending a meeting of the district council in Van Buren, Ark., this week end.

Walter Edwards, pipefitter, who has been working for the Union Pacific in Omaha, Neb., has returned home after a reduction in force at that point.

A. B. Beckham, machinist, is spending the week end visiting in Kansas City.

Engine No. 1220 which has been undergoing repairs at the shops was taken out for a break-in Thursday.

Miss Juanita June Wagner daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner has returned home after spending the past week visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Wagner is a welder in the boiler shop.

Charles McNeil, class "B" pipefitter, has been off duty for several days on account of illness.

H. L. Hill, class "B" pipefitter, has returned to work after being off duty for several days on account of illness.

The bridge and building gang have been busy this week making extensive repairs in the machine shop, laying a new floor on pits 22 and 23.

H. A. Becker, and children have been spending a few days visiting relatives and friends in Kansas City. Mr. Becker is a boiler-maker.

Sam Gaither, pipe-fitter, is spending a few days visiting relatives and friends in Falls City, Neb.

The regular monthly business meeting of the machinists was held in the labor hall Thursday evening with a large attendance.

William Morris, pipe-fitter, has been off duty the past week on account of illness.

J. L. Pierce, general freight car foreman, has returned to work after being off duty for the past several days on account of illness.

George Hall, painter helper has returned from the Missouri Pacific hospital where he has been a patient for the past several weeks as a result of an injury sustained while trimming trees. He received a severe laceration on his leg about the knee cap. He is some improved but will not be able to return to work for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Farnhardt have returned home from a months visit with relatives and friends in Los Angeles, Calif., and other points of interest in that state. He is a carman.

E. L. White, electrical inspector for the Missouri Pacific, with headquarters in St. Louis was a business visitor at the shops Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McPherson are spending the week end visiting relatives in Wichita, Kans. He is a carman apprentice.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mahnken, have returned home after spending the past several weeks in Little Rock where Mr. Mahnken has been employed by the Missouri Pacific.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Electricians was held Friday evening at the Labor hall.

C. R. Shirley, sheet metal worker, is spending the week end visiting relatives and friends in Kansas City.

E. W. Schultz, carman, was a business visitor in Cole Camp last week.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Firemen and Oilers was held Friday evening at the Labor hall.

Mrs. A. M. Peterson, wife of coach carpenter, is spending a few days visiting relatives in Plattsmouth Neb.

H. S. Marsh, general car inspector for the Missouri Pacific, with headquarters in St. Louis was a business visitor at the shops Friday.

The Benefit Association of Railway Employees Sedalia Local No. 156 will hold their regular business session, a dutch lunch with refreshments will be served and a dance will be enjoyed with the music of Larry Judd and his orchestra.

Tom O'Donnell, employed in the coach shop, has returned to work after being off duty for the past several days on account of illness.

William Allcorn, electric shop foreman, has been confined to his home for the past week on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamby and children have returned home from Little Rock, Ark., where Mr. Hamby has been employed by the Missouri Pacific for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Moad, of Kansas City are spending the week end visiting relatives in Sedalia. Mr. Moad is employed as a boiler-maker by the Missouri Pacific.

Ripley To Give Address To Graduates

MARSHALL, Mo., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Robert L. Ripley, nationally known cartoonist, has accepted an invitation to deliver the commencement address at Missouri Valley College here May 29, Dr. Thomas W. Bibb, president of the college, announced today.

Ripley, widely known for his "Believe It or Not" cartoons and radio broadcasts, will be presented an honorary doctor of laws degree.

• The Family Doctor

Infant's Defective Spine Offers Doctor, Parents Difficult Choice

In as many as one out of 100 childbirths the infant comes into the world with certain portions of the spine not properly grown together. In most instances the difficulty is simply a failure of the coverings of the spinal cord to develop as they should. In other instances there is a lack of one or more of the bones of the spine called vertebrae, which form the bony casing over the spinal cord.

In case of a lack of this portion of the bony covering there is a hernia or projection of the covers of the spinal cord to the exterior, making a large sac or baloon filled with fluid. This is a most serious condition, for unless something is done the child is likely to die before it is a year old.

Newspapers recently have been filled with the reports of such a case occurring in southern Illinois in which the father was asked to make the decision as to whether or not an operation should be done, knowing that without the operation the child was likely to die anyway.

In many instances failure of the spinal tissues to grow together properly is associated also with that collection of fluid within the skull and the enlargement of the bones of the skull known as hydrocephalus, a condition which makes a tiny body with a very large head.

If the condition called spina bifida is not disturbed in any way, there occurs eventually such pressure and stretching of the nerves in the spinal cord that they do not function satisfactorily. If the condition is in the lower part of the spine, which is the most frequent, the child begins to suffer with paralysis, with inability to control motions of the bowels and actions of the bladder, and with ulcers resulting from the fact that certain portions of the skin are without suitable nerve supply.

When a physician sees such a patient he has an exceedingly difficult decision to make. If the child happens to be deformed in some other manner so that there is not a proper development of the brain, obviously little is to be gained by operating on the spine.

There are, however, some cases which are discovered very promptly in which there is simply a protrusion of the coverings of the spinal cord with a sac that is filled with fluid. If the skin has developed well, it is possible to make a covering over the spine that will serve the purpose.

* * *

In the suitable case the doctor does a surgical operation, opens the area, studies carefully the relations of the tissues, determines whether or not it is possible to transplant skin from other tissues to cover up the area not suitably covered.

If he determines that an operation is feasible, he undertakes what is in the nature of reconstructive or plastic surgery.

The records seem to show that taking a considerable number of such cases into account at least 45, if not 50 per cent, of all of the babies thus afflicted at the time of birth will recover and will thereafter have little trouble and be able to lead a useful life.

• Raising a Family

SILENCE IS A GOLDEN PART OF MANNERLY CONVERSATION

By Olive Roberts Barton

One of the hardest things to learn is to keep quiet. To conquer the urge to talk and tell what we know instead of listening to the other person is never easy.

It gets to be a habit, and a bad one, for a man or woman to insist on airing views or experiences, because it leads to interruptions. Listen to any roomful of people today, each one trying to out-talk the other, and it is really painful.

We cannot learn to curb our tongues when we are older. It has to be trained into any growing child while there is yet time.

Young people have a horror of being thought duds. They lie awake nights trying to think up original cracks. They study their slang with more care than their Latin or French. To be a week behind the times and use an outmoded term makes them hicks. So they think. They practice on phrases like "cooled off" or "dead," and "bitten in the arm" for being in love, or taking an interest in somebody. Sometimes it is a "shot in the arm." Next week it will be something else "Pitching woo" and "carrying a torch' are as ancient as "sparking" or "spooning."

Conversation has become largely a matter of getting in a lot of wise ones, among young people. They deliberately lead it to a point where they can use the latest in slang.

To keep quiet is almost impossible. I know what they are up against and so do you mother. They have to talk and they have to talk in the lingo of their day. High-Schoolers do, anyway.

But somewhere along the line they should be learning the art of listening.

Quiet girls and boys are often popular. The chatterbox who won't listen is often very unpopular. A boy likes a girl to listen to what he says. And a girl likes a boy to hear her out, without interrupting about his team affairs and what the coach said.

Often, too, in this scramble for a place on the stage, things are said that hurt. They are meant to be witty and to bring a laugh to the credit of the teller. The object of amusement is not intentionally being jeered at. He is merely chosen as a stooge to bring out the sparkle of the star. Too bad.

Poise in Conversation

There is a quiet little verse of David's that goes like this. "Set a watch, O Lord, before my mouth and keep the door of my lips." The more I think of that plea the more I read into it.

Not only the brake on the quick, thoughtless tongue, or deliberately malicicus gossip, but good manners and peace for everyone; surely all are included here.

To wait until the turn comes to speak. To listen patiently until another has finished. To speak clearly, slowly and sensibly, these qualities do not ticket the stupid. The greatest wits in the world are slow, deliberate speakers, and very finished listeners.

Cranium Crackers

Try these four problems in word arithmetic.

1. A Biblical character **plus** a home for sultan's wives **equals** a fictional horse trader.

2. The nude lady who rode a horse **minus** depart **minus** a well-bred woman **equals** a prima donna.

3. An imitation pearl **minus** "t" **equals** any oily fruit.

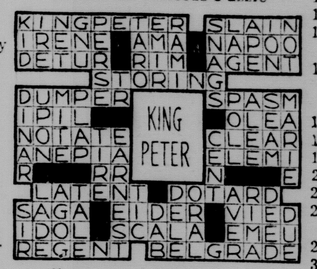
4. The stammering king of France **plus** six **equals** the lion-hearted ruler of France.

Today's Lenten Question

Who is the only Biblical personage whose name begins with the letter "Q"?

• Cabinet Offical

Answer to Previous Puzzle

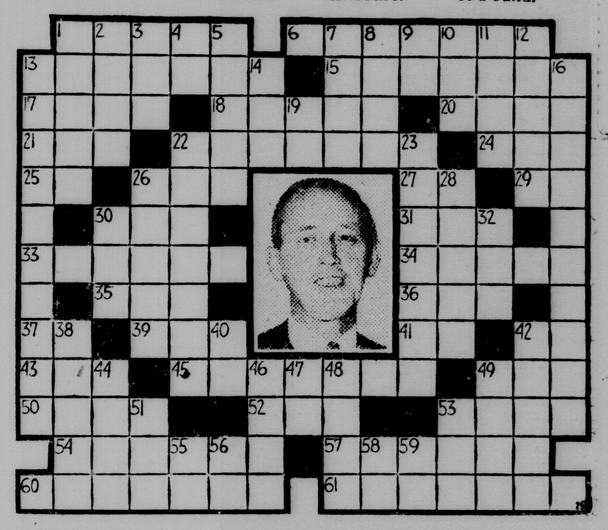


HORIZONTAL

1, 6 Newly appointed U. S. secretary of commerce.
13 Small stool.
15 To profane.
17 To vex.
18 Orchid tubers.
20 King of beasts.
21 Before.
22 Motors.
24 Ship's record.
25 Form of "me."
26 Blood money.
27 Noun termination.
29 Note in scale.
30 Silkworm.
31 Scepter.
33 Most modern.
34 Vocal sound.
35 To dine.
36 Distinctive theory.
37 Alleged force.
39 Russian village.
41 Court.
42 Compass point.
43 Pitcher.
45 He is a —— executive.
49 Barley spikelet.
50 To fly.
52 Sour plum.
53 To flutter.
54 Deems.
57 He was administrator of ——.
60 Component.
61 Rebates.

VERTICAL

1 Hirsute.
2 Capable.
3 Fish eggs.
4 Railroad.
5 Favoring both sides.
7 Kiln.
8 Smoking device.
9 Chinese measure.
10 Sick.
11 Spike.
12 Backless chair.
13 He disperses —— sums of money.
14 Label.
16 Betrothal.
19 Weight.
22 Controversial.
23 Useful office.
26 Rich part of milk.
28 To perch.
30 Female sheep.
32 Not bright
38 To drivel.
40 Sun god.
42 Fast.
44 Back of neck.
46 Nuisance.
47 Form of "be."
48 Whirr.
49 On the lee.
51 Brink.
53 White lie.
55 New England.
56 Half an em.
58 Each.
59 Pound.



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OUT OUR WAY By J. R. Williams

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — The Band Is Worried — By Merrill Blosser

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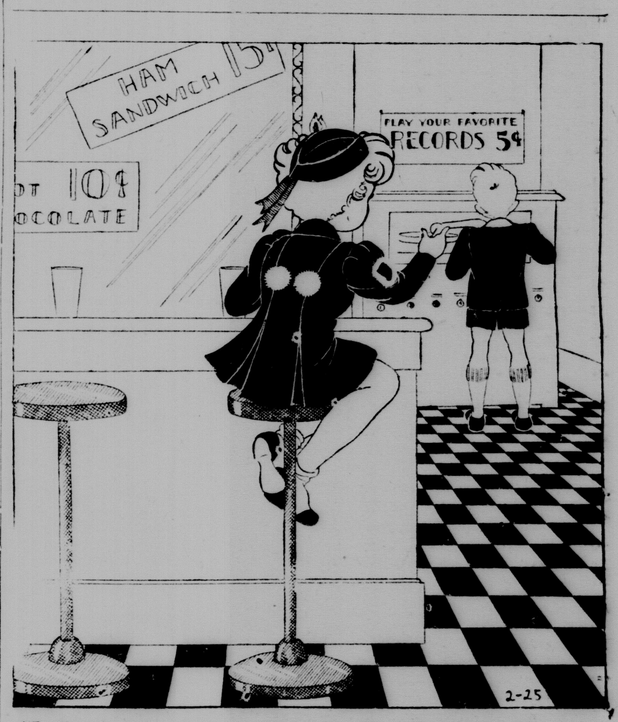
ALLEY OOP — The Course of True Love — By V. T. Hamlin

MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE — Now, What? — By Ray Thompson and Charles Coll

WASH TUBBS — No, He's Not — By Roy Crane

• Flapper Fanny

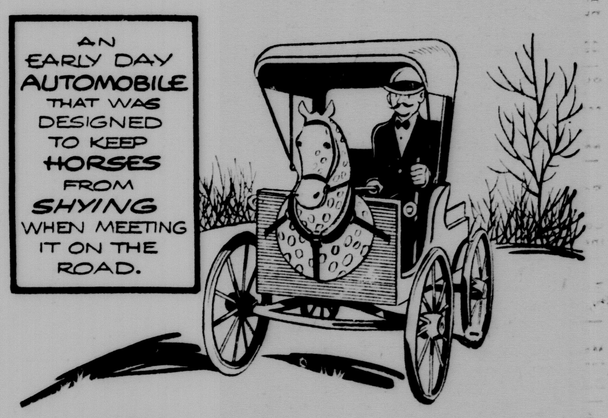
By Sylvia

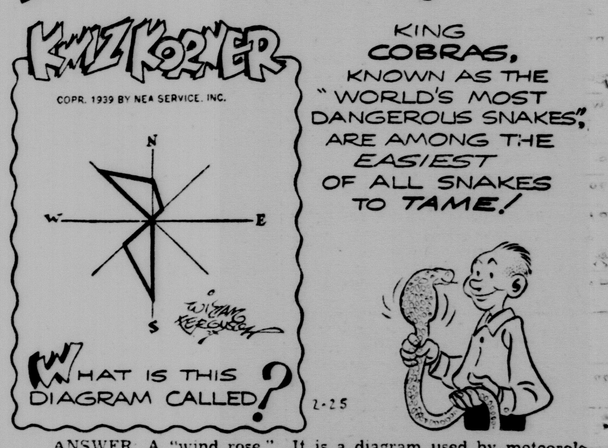


"Let's sit this one out. I've already ordered an' the hamburger won't be fit to eat after we dance."

• This Curious World

By William Ferguson





ANSWER: A "wind rose." It is a diagram used by meteorologists to show, for a given place, the relative frequency of winds from different directions.

NEXT: Who were the first milliners?

• *Stories in Stamps*

Il Duce Uses Horace To Push Fascism

TWO thousand years after Horace enjoyed the supreme plaudits of the Roman state for his inspiring patriotic odes, Il Duce and his aggressive Fascists adopt him as a sort of patron saint of the modern empire.

In other countries Horace is remembered as a famous Latin poet who was exceedingly witty. But not so today in black shirt Italy. Horace is recalled as the poet who left the republicanism of Brutus to devote himself wholeheartedly to the imperial ideal of Augustus. Augustus, to the Fascists, was the Mussolini of ancient times.

Rising meteorically to fame as one of the leading Roman poets, Horace won the acquaintance of Augustus while he was yet in his thirties. Horace then wrote a series of odes celebrating the peaceful order of the Augustus' reign. So pleased was the great emperor that he offered Horace a post as his private secretary. But Horace declined. He was too absorbed in the business of writing and he loved life too well on his quiet Sabine farm which had been given him because of his literary achievements.

Horace, or Quintus Horatius Flaccus as he was known in Rome, was born in humble surroundings but his father gave him the best education available at the time. He studied in Athens, traveled. He was the model of sobriety, honesty, self-control, due very largely to his father's rigorous training.

Commemorating the 200th anniversary of the birth of Horace, a 1936 Italian stamp is shown above, portraying a dying warrior from a scene in one of the poet's great odes.

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Continued—

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Continued—

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XI—Real Estate For Sale

82—Business Property for Sale

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84—Houses for Sale

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Upward Sprint In Stocks Halted

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—Heavy overnight buying orders in the stock market, apparently inspired by another government-business peace gesture by Secretary of Commerce Hopkins in his Des Moines speech, brought an upward sprint in today's early prices of 1 to more than 2 points.

Profit taking quickly stemmed the rising tide, however, and, despite late support for steels and motors, closing quotations were well under their best for the day.

In the opening purchasing burst blocks of 1,000 to 5,000 shares changed hands with the ticker tape, for the first time in a month, falling a minute behind floor transactions. Transfers of 783,600 shares compared with 403,110 a week ago and were the largest for any Saturday of the year to date.

Among leading stocks ahead in the 2-hour proceedings were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Chrysler, North American, Detroit Edison, U. S. Rubber, Anaconda, American Can, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Allied Chemical, Phillip Morris and U. S. Gypsum.

Bonds emulated stocks, with secondary rails favored.

The stock market experienced its worst day of the week on Monday.

There was a general price stalemate Tuesday and Thursday after the holiday.

Friday's brisk run-up was credited to optimistic anticipation of what Secretary Hopkins would say on top of Secretary Morgenthau's disclosure no heavier taxes were contemplated this year and the President's previous friendly nod to business.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 25—(AP)—(U. S. Department Agriculture)—Hogs, total receipts 900; 500 salable; not enough to make a market; small lots good to choice 170 to 220 pounds, $8.25 to $8.35; compared week ago 170 pounds up steady; lighter weights and sows 10c to 15c higher.

Cattle, total receipts 200; 100 salable; calves, total 250; salable 50; compared with close last week: market steady to 25c higher; tops for week, 1,287 pound steers $10.50; 1,040 pound yearlings $10.40; 118 pound heifers $10.25; 633 pound mixed yearlings $9.75; beef cows $8.85; sausage bulls $7.00; vealers $12.25; feeder steers $9.65.

Sheep, no receipts; compared with week ago; lambs steady to 25c lower; sheep steady; top lambs for week $9.25; packer top on natives $8.50; top westerns $8.65 to packers.

Few Leaders Upon the Curb

	Close Fri.	Close Sat
American Light and T.	16¼	16½
Arkansas Nt. Gas.	2¾	—
Arkansas Nat Gas. A	2¾	2¾
Assoc. G. and El., A	¾	¾
Cities Service	8⅛	8⅝
Cities Service pf.	47	—
Eagle Pich. Lead	11⅛	11⅜
El. Bond and Sh.	11¾	12
Ford M. Can. A	21⅜	21⅝
Ford Mot. Ltd.	4⅛	4¼
Gulf Oil	37	38
Nat. Bel. Hess	—	⅜
Standard Oil Ky.	18⅛	18⅜

Closing Of Leading Stocks

American & For. Power	3⅛	3⅛
American Smelt. & Ref.	45¼	46⅛
American Tel. & Tel.	157¾	158⅝
American Tobacco "B"	85	85½
Anaconda Copper	29½	30
Atchison T. & S. F.	36	36¾
Auburn Auto	—	4⅛
Bethlehem Steel	72¼	74⅛
Chicago & Northwestern	¾	⅞
Chrysler	78⅜	79¼
Curtis-Wright	7	6¾
Curtis-Wright A	27¼	26⅝
Du Pont De Nem.	148¾	149⅞
Eastman Kodak	171	171¾
General Electric	41½	41⅝
General Motors	49	49⅜
Int. Harvester	60¼	60¼
International Shoe	—	33
Int. Tel. & Tel.	8½	8⅝
Kennecott Copper	37	37¾
Libby, McN. & Libby	5¼	5⅜
Ligg & Myers Tob. "B"	106	106½
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	19⅞	—
Mid. Cont. Pet.	14¾	14¾
Missouri Kansas Texas	1¾	1⅞
Missouri Pacific	—	—
Montgomery Ward	52	52¼
Nash-Kelvinator	8	8⅛
National Cash Reg. "A"	22⅝	23
North American	25¾	26⅛
Packard	4⅛	4⅛
Phillips Pet.	39	39¼
Purity Baking	13¾	13⅞
Radio Corp of America	7⅛	7⅛
Sears-Roebuck	73¾	74
Skelly Oil	24⅝	24⅜
Standard Oil of Ind.	26¾	27
Studebaker	7⅜	7½
Swift and Co.	19	19¼
U. S. Steel	62¼	63½
Westinghouse E. & Mfg.	111½	112

Answers to Cranium Cracker

Question on Comic Page

1. David **plus** harem equals David Harum.
2. Lady Godiva **minus** go **minus** lady **equals** diva.
3. Olivet **minue** "t" **equals** Olive.
4. Louis II **plus** six **equals** Louis VIII.

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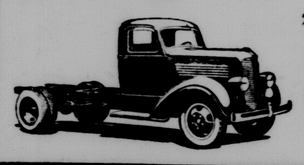
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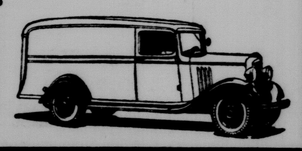

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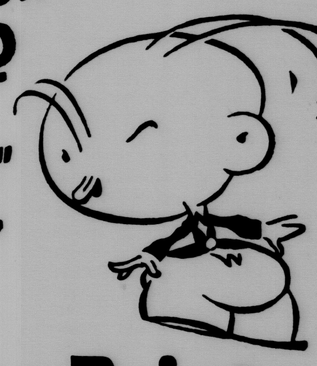
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VFW Holds Open Forum

Tolerance Is Subject Of First Such Meeting

Five local persons spoke on various subjects at an open forum sponsored by the Walter Elkins Post Veterans of Foreign Wars No. 2508, held at the assembly room of the county court house before a small crowd Friday night at 7:45 o'clock. The meeting was the first of a five week's program to be held.

Reverend R. A. Park, pastor of Calvary Episcopal church, spoke on "Worldwide Obstacle to Christianity," Larry A. Brill talked about "Press Relationship to Freedom," O. B. Poundstone told of "Veterandom in Relationship to World Conditions Today," "Labor in General" was the subject of Walter Bryson and "Where Do We Go From Here" was Harvey Dow's talk. After the talks there was an open discussion by the group with five minutes time being allotted to a person.

The purpose of the meetings are, to preserve speech, to promote orderly discussions, to promote courtesy and consideration, and to counteract false propaganda by exposition of the truth.

Speakers are to be residents of the county, and to be invited alternately to develop opposite views in question, and to be limited to time stated in advance. No speaker may be interrupted, no resolutions to be proposed or any vote to be taken on any subject.

The forum will be opened by a master of ceremonies and speakers introduced and their time allotted in advance. After the talks there will be an open discussion with each speaker allotted five minutes. The public may choose anyone they wish to hear on any subject.

Sergeant Lester Bennett, recruit officer for the U. S. army stationed at the postoffice and H. C. O'Neill, quartermaster of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, arranged the program. Lawrence Barnett was program chairman.

Anyone wishing to speak on any subject, contact Sergeant Lester Bennett at the postoffice. The next meeting will be held at the court house Friday night March 3 at 7:30 o'clock.

Many Animals Treated For Bots

Reports from local veterinarians and local leaders as to the number of horses, mules, and colts treated for bots in Pettis County this winter indicate that one out of every eight have been treated to date, states J. U. Morris, county extension agent.

Those farmers who have treated are receiving the benefits now of lower feeding costs and will have their horses in better condition for spring work and have less trouble from colic and over-heating next summer.

While it is getting rather late, farmers who have not treated can do so immediately and still get a big return on a small investment. Those wishing to treat should contact their neighbors and make arrangements to get ten or more head in one group and contact their local veterinarian and make arrangements for the date and place of treatment.

Dr. A. W. Uren, extension veterinarian of the Missouri College of Agriculture, states that horses treated in the fall of 1937 and early part of 1938 were in better physical condition during the past year and therefore had a greater resistance to any diseases effecting horses, including sleeping sickness.

Held on Charge of Having Concealed Weapon

James R .Shandy, arrested several days ago by Sheriff W. L. Marlin for carrying concealed weapons, Saturday afternoon appeared before Judge J. C. Connor, justice of the peace, waived his preliminary hearing and was bound over to the action of the April term of Criminal court.

Shandy was released on a $1.000 bond.

He was arrested at the Jockey Club south of Sedalia on Highway 65 when he was suspicioned as being a gun "toter."

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• Sunday School Lesson

Peter in Samaria

Text: Octs 8:14-25.

By WILLIAM E. BILRAY, D. D.
Editor of Advance

The general title of this lesson, "Peter in Samaria," is much less apt than the title as given in the Intermediate and Senior Topic, "Some Things Money Cannot Buy," or the topic for young people and adults, "Keeping Religion Free From Commercialism." The text of the lesson records a very painful story and one that unfortunately has been duplicated in more or less similar forms in every age and apparently among all peoples.

We have in the lesson two Simons—Simon Peter, the sincere and earnest apostle; and Simon a false prophet, magnician, or faker of the sort who appears repeatedly among men and who is ready to use even the sacred offices of religion for his own selfish and ignoble ends. Perhaps I should not use the word "magician" in this connection, and I should like to point out that it use does not apply to honorable men who have been magicians by profession and who have mystified people by their sleight-or-hand and amazing performances, but who have always represented themselves honestly as what they were and who have not used their skill and profession for any misrepresentation or fraud.

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When this Simon, the faker saw the marvelous things that happened under the influence of the Holy Ghost as the apostles laid their hands on Christians in Samaria, he thought of what gain there might be to himself if he could exercise similar power. It was characteristic of the man that he should put other men on as low a plane as himself, and should come and offer Peter and John money that he might secure from them this wonder-working power. But Peter was stirred to righteous wrath—"Thy silver perish with thee, because thou hast thought to obtain the gift of God with money."

But Peter's admonition was not all expressed in righteous wrath. He appealed to Simon to repent of his wickedness, and Simon either did repent or was moved by fear because of what he had done, for he asked Peter to pray for him that no punishment should come upon him.

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We miss almost entirely the point and teaching of this lesson if we read it simply as the story of something that happened in the past, or if we have in mind as we read only a deep-dyed rascal like Simon, or at least an ignorant and deluded man. The danger is not that any of us shall degrade the offices of religion in so flagrant a way, but we may nevertheless in some degree tend toward the same sin in assuming that the great things of truth and religion can stand upon anything but their own power and merit. There are many ways in which men may use, and do use, religion as a cloak of their own gain or their own advantage; and anyone who does that shares in some degree the sin of Simon—no matter whether he is a minister in a pulpit, an official in a church, or a layman in a pew. Religion must be pure in motive and spirit, or it is not worthy to be called Christian.

Church Services Today

Baptist—
Calvary—10:45 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
East Sedalia—10 a. m.; 8 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
First—10:35 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.

Christian—
First—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
East Broadway—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Episcopal—
Calvary—7:30 a. m. and 11 a. m.
Sunday school 10 a. m.

Evangelical—
Immanuel—10:30 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.

Federated—
Federated—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.

Lutheran—
Trinity English—10:45 a. m., first, third, fifth Sundays.
Sunday school 9:30.
St. Paul's—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.

Presbyterian—
Broadway—10:45 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Vesper services 4:30 p. m.
Young People's meeting 5:30 p. m.
Cumberland—7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 10 a. m.

Methodist—
First—10:45 a. m., 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Fifth Street—10:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Epworth—10:30 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.
Taylor Chapel (Negro)—11:00 a. m., 7:00 p. m.
Sunday school 9:30.

International Bible School—
Services 7:30 p. m.

Latter Day Saints—
Reorganized—11 a. m., 7:30 p. m
Sunday school 9:45.

Christian Science—
First church—11:00 a. m.
Sunday school 9:30.

Catholic Churches—
Sacred Heart — Masses 6:00, 8, 9:15 and 10:30.
St. Patrick's—Masses 6:30; 8:00 and 10:00 a. m.

Farmers Meets On Conservation

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 25.—(AP)—First in a series of three district agricultural conservation program conferences will be held next Tuesday at the courthouse in Springfield, F. E. Rogers, state extension agent, announced today.

Farmers from Greene, Dallas, Webster, Polk, Hickory, Christian, Stone, Taney, Dade and Cedar counties will attend the Springfield meeting.

Next Wednesday farmers from Newton, McDonald, Lawrence, Barry, Barton, and Jasper counties will meet at Neosho. The last meeting will be held Friday at Clinton for Henry, Pettis, Johnson, Cass, Bates, Vernon, St. Clair, Cooper, Morgan and Benton counties.

Procedure on adjustment of losses under the crop insurance program and other problems pertaininging to the 1939 A. C. P. program are scheduled for discussion. Each conference will begin at 9:30 a. m.

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There was never a more vivid account of how fear magnifies difficulties and stops us at the very gates of better lives and a better world, than this old story of Israel halted at the borders of their promised land; halted a little by frontier fortifications, halted more by their own fears and doubts. They did not dare.

All noble living is an adventure. The greatest things always demand the daring, believing spirit. Truth and Love and Goodness and Hope are always "daring" us to follow them. "Come," they say, "come with us; we can not tell you where we will take you. We can only show you the road day by day, step by step." The glory of life is to dare nobly for noble needs, and a man's perdition, says Emerson, may be in just being safe.

Prayer: O Source of Life and Strength, since Thou hast given us a life of high vocation, give us the courage to meet its challenges, forgive us the fear which magnifies danger and the doubt which veils for us Thy supporting guidance. Forbid that any great cause should fail through our failure to support it, or any promised land be lost because we turned back at its gates. Amen.

Postpone Church Meeting

Rev. J. C. English, president of the Associated Churches of Sedalia, has announced that the regular meeting scheduled for February 27 at the Evangelical church has been postponed until March 6 at that church, The meeting will start at 7:30 o'clock.

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Sedalia Couple Weds

Miss Evelyn Irene Dickenson, and John Marvin Steele, both of Sedalia, were married by the Rev. B. B. Bess, Baptist minister, at his home, 231 South Vermont avenue, Saturday.

Hopewell Club Holds Meeting

The Hopewell Community club met at the home of Mrs. Virgil Hieronymus, with Mrs. Harry Harvey and Mrs. Uel Payne assistant hostesses. Twelve members and two visitors, Mrs. Howard Renno and Mrs. Van Ramey were present.

Members answered roll call by telling what they would buy if they had five dollars to spend on their kitchen.

In the afternoon Mrs. Roy Anderson talked on "Kitchen Convenience."

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Al Payne, with Miss Goldie Butterbaugh and Mrs. Will Renno to assist. Roll call will be answered by naming a bird and telling whether it is man's friend or enemy, and why.

Mrs. McVey Improves

Mrs. R. C. McVey, 1419 South Park avenue, who suffered a double fracture of her left arm about five weeks ago, is getting along nicely, although still under the doctor's care.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Frank McAllister, 208 East Third street, was admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. Viola Akeman, of Houstonia, was admitted for surgery.

E. W. Couey, state representative, showed slight improvement Saturday. He is suffering with the flu.

Mrs. Hurt, wife of Dr. Lee Hurt, of Warsaw, was able to return home Saturday.

Amos Fristo, of Lincoln, returned home Saturday, as did Mrs. Helen Self, 320 West Broadway, and Mrs. J. W. Long, wife of Rev. Long, of Windsor.

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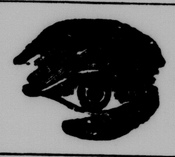

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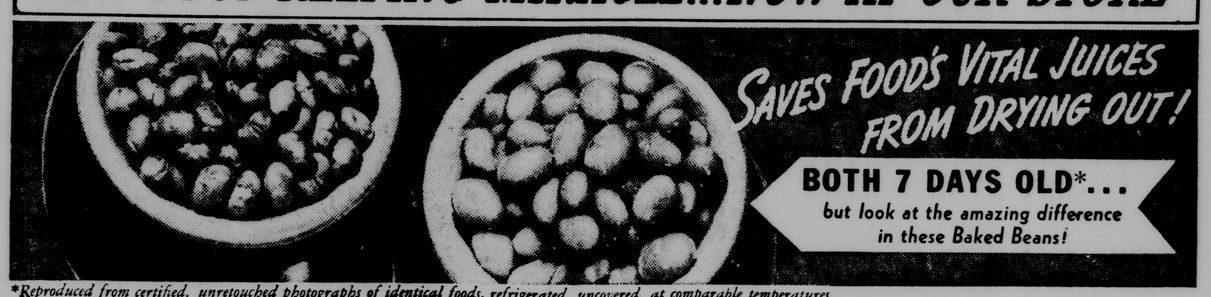

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1—Leave Sedalia for Marshall, Boonville, Columbia, and St Louis—8:50 A M., 12:20 P M., 3:20 P M., 5:30 P M

2—Leave Sedalia for Kansas City—12:20 P M., 3:20 P M., 5:30 P M.

3—Leave Sedalia for Chillicothe, Trenton, Carrollton and Des Moines, Ia—12:20 P M., 5:30 P M.

4—Leave Sedalia for Tipton, Jefferson City—11:10 A. M., 3:10 P. M., 6:10 P M

5—Leave Sedalia for Warrensburg and Kansas City—8:30 A. M., 1:00 P M., 7:00 P M

6—Connections in Springfield for West Plains, Monett, Carthage, Joplin, Tulsa, and intermediate points.